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Mr. POWELL,

If you think the following not unworthy of a Place in your Paper, the inserting of it, will oblige, Yours, &c.

A CONSTANT READER.

Fruges consumere Nati. HORACE.

Born to consume the Fruits of the Earth.

"IT is not enough (says an elegant Modern) that our Conduct does not subject us to the Imputation of any particular *Vices*; it is also incumbent upon us, to render ourselves remarkable for our *Virtues*." To represent the Absence of actual Vice in the most favourable Point of View, it merits no Appellation more honourable than that of *negative Virtue*. As none but an absolutely *vicious* Man can properly be stiled a destructive Member of Society, so none but an absolutely *virtuous* Man deserves to be considered as a valuable Acquisition to the Public; unless indeed he may be thought to conduce to the Interests of the Community, by affording a comfortable Support to such honest and industrious Poor, as are necessitated, by their Circumstances, to sell their Services for Hire. But, although we allow him to be thus far of Consequence to the State in which he lives, still, I think, we may pronounce him to be elevated but a few Degrees above any other Animal, which renders the same Kind of involuntary Service to those whose Assistance and Attendance cannot be dispensed with.

If then it be confessed, that a Man, against whom nothing more criminal is alledged, than that he is distinguished from the Vicious by nothing but his refusing to join in their Pursuits, is fairly dealt with, when treated with so much Severity, who shall be able to draw a Picture which shall be a just Representation of a Character so truly diabolical, that, although replete with many Vices, it is scarcely in Possession of one attoning Virtue? Were such a Performance properly executed, it would perhaps be no small Difficulty, to convince the Generality of good Men, of the Possibility, that the Original should ever have existed; and those from whom their Experience irresistibly extorts a Confession, that such Instances of the Depravity of human Nature are but too common, would turn their Eyes with Anguish from the Prospect; and anxious for the Reputation of their Species, they would invent new Arguments to alter their Opinions, forget for a while that the World is as bad as they had before declared it, and sweetly repose themselves under the pleasing Delusion. One useful Effect which might be produced by the Delineation of such a Character, would be the Advantage of the youthful Adventurer in this Voyage of Life; that he might be instructed in what Manner to avoid a Rock, which has been fatal to Thousands. But as the Generality of young People feel a natural Abhorrence of a Character so complicatedly vicious, and in every Respect so perfectly unamiable (except that Hypocrisy is a Vice which these Men have very seldom been accused of) very little Danger can be apprehended from them, even to the most incautious and unsuspecting. I shall therefore proceed (after remarking by the Way, that the Character which I *have* been mentioning, and that which I am *about* to mention, do not unfrequently meet in the same Person) to attempt a short Description of a Set of young Fellows, who, by persuading some very sober, and well inclined Youths, to misconstrue their noisy, unconstrained Behaviour into Gaiety, and Gaiety into Spirit, have put themselves in Possession of no inconsiderable Share of their Envy and Admiration; and they shall be then left to judge, whether they have any Reason to view them, with any other Eyes than those of the profoundest contempt. I mean our modern BUCKS.

In Order that the Idea of a *Buck* may not be too indefinite, I shall distinguish the whole Body of such Gentlemen as do not lead a sober, religious Life, into three different Classes, *Beaux, Men of Pleasure*, and *Bucks*.

The *Beau* is by far the most innocent and inoffensive Animal of the Three, and in general, the severest Accusation that can be laid to his Charge, is that of being useless; and though he entertains no great Veneration for the divine Laws, yet either from Want of Inclination, or because he thinks it unpolite, he seldom offends against them. Upon some *particular* Occasions, it must be confessed, he does trespass against *Religion*, and (wonderful to tell!) against Politeness too. For Instance, if a convenient Opportunity presents itself, of shewing his Courage before a Set of Females, by uttering a Damme, or rather a Demme, the Temptation frequently proves irresistable: But even in this Case, some Excuse may be offered for him; since he softens the Offence against Religion by his Method of pronouncing the Oath, and the Offence against Politeness, by never directing it to any one but himself. The Employments of a Beau are easily enumerated; all the Morning is taken up in Dressing, and the Afternoon in paying Visits to the Ladies. He is the humble Servant of every Woman he meets; and so far is he from supposing that he lays her under any Obligation, by his Assiduity and Attention, that he considers himself as amply rewarded by a *Smile* or a *Nod*, or some other such memorable Token of her Favour and Approbation.

Greatly were it to be wished, that the Desires of a *Man of Pleasure* were encompassed by such narrow Limits. But alas! the Business of his Life is Pleasure; and no Obstacles are found sufficient Bars to his Inclination. His Wishes are unbounded, and his Gratifications are as unbounded as his Wishes. Deaf to the Calls of Conscience, Honour and Humanity, he rushes forward in his mad Career: Wherever he appears, Destruction is his constant Attendant; and his Progress ends but with the Completion of his Designs. Innocence and Virtue he considers as the only worthy Objects of his Pursuit; and they, too often, prove an easy Prey to the bewitching Arts, and irresistable Eloquence of their Destroyer; for however paradoxical it may appear, it is most certain, that those men, in whom, from their superior Talents, we expect to find a greater Relish for the intellectual and more refined Enjoyments, are in general the most distinguished for their Attachment to every Kind of Sensuality and Debauchery.

Destructive as a Man of this Character may appear, when considered as the Plunderer of Virgin Innocence and Virtue, and the cruel Cause of the unnumbered Ills which attend the Life of a once happy and good Woman, thus reduced to Misery and Guilt; yet, it would be the Source of some small Degree of Consolation to us, could we hope that the Influence of his detestable Practices were confined to one Sex only; but this is a Satisfaction which no Man, who has considered the Character of a *Modern Buck* with any Kind of Attention, can possibly enjoy. The Truth is, a *Buck* is no other than a servile Imitator of a *Man of Pleasure*. Surprized and dazzled with his shining Parts, and envious of the Applause and Admiration which are the Tribute of intellectual Merit, he quickly resolves to take upon him the Character of a Man of Pleasure. That he possesses those Qualifications for which a *Man of Pleasure* is admired, he has not the Vanity to suppose; (nor indeed do I think him entitled to any great Share of Praise for his Humility, since there can be very little Merit in avoiding an Error, to have fallen into which, would have been the greatest Absurdity; and here, Reader, lest thou mayest happen to be deficient in Comprehension, it may not be amiss to inform thee in plainer Terms, that if, in any Conversation upon the Subject of *Bucks*, thou shouldest have an Inclination to vary the Expression, *Blockhead* may be used with equal Propriety.) He does not suppose I say, that he possesses these Qualifications, but he thinks it will be sufficient, if he can make the World believe he does. In Order to this, he professes the same libertine Sentiments and Opinions with his Pattern, rails at Religion and Morality ridicules the Scriptures without having ever read them, and drinks Bumpers to the Destruction of the Clergy. He is guilty of every Vice which he imagines will tend to procure him the Title he desires, except one, namely, the debauching of young Women; and this he has neither Art nor Address to accomplish. The Principle upon which he adopts this Method of Proceeding is this, that, "because Men of great Talents are generally vicious," it will be thought that "vicious Men must possess great Talents:" And indeed, if this curious Argument was, as they imagine it is, calculated to impose upon the World, their Plan could not fail to produce the desired Effect; for, as their *Dread* of a Man of Sense, excludes them from their Society, and their Vice and Immorality from that of *good* Men, they would be in no Danger of exposing their Ignorance and Stupidity.

From what has been said, it will be easily perceived, that very few Qualifications are necessary to introduce a young Man into this honourable Society. They are indeed no others than such as it is in the Power of every one to be possessed of in as eminent a Degree as he thinks proper, viz. The Practice of all the polite Vices of the Age, as Drinking, Gaming, &c. With these Accomplishments, it is natural that they should resort to such Places as are calculated for the most advantageous Display of them: The Tavern is the first of these; whither if you please we will accompany them, that we may be enabled to judge of the Rest of their Pleasures, by the Entertainment which they meet with at this their general Rendezvous.

Let the Time at which we are supposed to be Spectators of this Scene, be Ten o'Clock at Night! Till this Time, there is some Kind of Order and Decorum preserved (owing to the great Attention which every one pays to his Plate;) but no sooner is this Moderator removed, than the whole Company fall to Talking, with the same Earnestness, and indeed little less Sociability, than they had before discovered in Eating; for, as they had performed the last of these Exercises in Concert, so they had equally determined to perform the first in the same Manner. That two Men should receive any Pleasure from talking to each other, when they are both conscious that they cannot possibly be attended to, is a Mystery which I cannot pretend to unfold; but, that neither of them should attend to the other, is easily accounted for, by supposing that the Words which each of them is endeavouring to obtain the other's Attention to, have already undergone too many Repetitions to afford any Pleasure from another; a Circumstance by no Means uncommon upon this Occasion. This amazing Torrent of Nonsense is frequently interrupted by the President and his Assistant, who, in the Execution of their Office as Toast-Masters, are obliged to address the Company with such an Exertion and Strength of Voice, as one would imagine sufficient to render, in a short Time, the most excellent Lungs incapable of further Service. But the Effect of these occasional Interruptions upon the above-mentioned Torrent, differs very little from that which is produced by the same Cause upon all other Torrents, that is, a more noisy and rapid Progress as soon as the Obstacle is removed.

But this Uproar generally subsides in a short Time, and is succeeded by another of a more hideous Nature. For as soon as the Ideas of the whole Company (which, as I have hinted above, are seldom very numerous) are exhausted, they are obliged to have Recourse to an Amusement, which (for what Reason I cannot pretend to determine) they have distinguished by the Name of Singing. If, Reader, thou art a Lover of Musick, and hast never been so unfortunate, as to be present at an Exhibition of this Kind, I will endeavour to put thee upon thy Guard, by a Description of it. And if perchance thou shouldest already have added it to thy Catalogue of unhappy Occurrences, my Design will be not a little promoted by the Accession of thy Evidence and Authority.

Suppose then, O fortunate Reader, (for it is to you that I mean to address myself) that thou art seated in an Assembly of those Animals, which, as the Gentlemen I am speaking of, resemble them in some other Circumstances, so they do more especially in the Melody of their Voices; suppose them, like their famous Brother of Old, endued with the Power of Speech, and suppose them *Braying* (or as a Buck would call it, *Singing*) to the most execrable Words that ever were tacked together, and dignified with the Name of Poetry; (so far indeed are the Songs of a *Buck* from possessing any Right to this Title, that they are generally destitute of every Quality upon which such a Right could possibly be founded; and provided they are written in Commendation of Drinking, or Women, or upon some other Subject equally sublime, he gives himself very little Trouble as to the Manner in which it is treated; which will appear the less extraordinary when we consider that he is incapable of forming any Judgment about the Matter.) If thou art able to form an Idea of "the Compound of villainous Sounds," which would assault thine Ear in the Situation above-mentioned, then mayest thou know what thou art to expect if ever thy Rashness leads thee into a Company of Bucks.

Their whole Stock of Songs being exhausted, and every Thing in the Room which is capable of being destroyed, having undergone that Operation; their next Step is (as they express it) to sally forth in Quest of Adventures. It would perhaps take up too much both of Time and Paper, than can be conveniently spared upon this Occasion, to recount the great Variety of heroic Exploits which are performed upon all the adjacent Lamps and Windows, and upon the Bones of those unfortunate Stragglers, who happen to fall within their Reach; (which last Instances of their Bravery, I beg Leave to remark, are much upon a Par with the first; as they generally take Care that the Party assaulted shall bear but a very trifling Proportion to their own;) I shall therefore just observe, that after having made away with as great a Quantity of the two aforesaid Kinds of brittle Ware, as they can, consistent with their present and future Safety, they retire Home, each to his favourite Dulcinea, with the same Satisfaction to themselves, and Expectation of Reward, which we may suppose were felt by the Antient Knights-Errant, for their laborious Services.

STUDIOSUS.

New Advertisements.

To be SOLD, without Reserve;

To-Morrow Afternoon,

Being TUESDAY *the Twenty-seventh Instant,*

At Mr. *Lightwood*'s Store in *Tradd Street*,

Sixty Pipes of choice Madera Wine;

Just imported in the Brigt. Union, Edward North, *Master*,

Also, A Parcel of small grained COFFEE,

In Bags of Fifty and Sixty Pounds each.

Samuel Prioleau, jun. & Co.

The SUBSCRIBER,

Intending to leave the Province in MAY next;

Will Dispose of, at Public Sale,

On WEDNESDAY *the 28th Day of* APRIL;

At his House in MEETING-STREET,

ALL his Household Furniture, and a Shop adjoining thereto, with Work-Benches, and a Chest of good Carpenter's Tools, with sundry other useful Articles.

LIKEWISE,

Two Lots of Land at *Hampstead*,

Fenced in, with a Building thereon, designed for a Kitchen.

Also, a *Windsor* RIDING-CHAIR,

With Harness complete; and a One Horse Cart, both very little the Worse for Wear. *And,*

A young Cow, bred up to the Town.

At the same Time and Place will also be sold,

Some very valuable House-Wenches;

Their Abilities being so well known as to need no further Descriptions;

Also, Three NEGRO CARPENTERS;

Inferior to none in the Business;

And, a smart WAITING-BOY.

Credit 'till the *First* of *January* 1774, will be given for all Sums above £. 200, paying Interest from the Date, and giving approved Security; or good Bills of Exchange will be taken.

*** He desires all those whose Accompts are yet unsettled, to discharge the same immediately; and those to whom he is indebted, to bring in their Accompts.

JOHN BULL.

To be SOLD by Auction,

At the House of Mr. RICHARD DOWNES,

In TRADD-STREET,

On *Saturday* next the 1st Day of *May*,

At TEN *o'Clock in the Forenoon,*

All his Household-Furniture,

PLATE, CHINA, *&c.*

Samuel Prioleau, jun. & Co.

On MONDAY *the 3d Day of* MAY *next,*

The Subscriber will dispose of, by public Sale,

The HOUSE and LOT

Whereon he at present resides:

Likewise, A few valuable SLAVES,

House-Carpenters, House-Wenches, &c. well known, by many, to be some of the most valuable in the Province.

And, one of the best PEWS in the South Gallery of Saint *Michael's* Church; very near the Pulpit, and will hold Eight or Nine Persons.

The Terms will be made as agreeable to the Purchasers as can possibly be convenient to the Proprietor: But the Property is not to be altered, nor any Thing removed, till the Conditions of Sale shall be complied with.

Any Gentleman choosing to purchase the Whole or Part of the Premises before the Day of Sale, may treat with

SAMUEL CARDY.

STOLEN or STRAYED,

Out of the Subscriber's Pasture, near CHARLES-TOWN, *on* SUNDAY *the 12th of* April *Instant,*

A Bay pacing HORSE,

Upwards of Fourteen Hands and an Half high, has no visible Brands, but has a D, cut with a Gouge, in his mounting Hoof before.—Whoever will deliver the said Horse to the Subscriber, Up-the-Path, shall receive *Four Dollars* Reward; but if stolen, and the Thief brought to Justice, a Reward of *Fifty Pounds* Currency will be paid, on his being convicted thereof, by

JOHN DONOVAN.

New Advertisements.

Freſh Hand-picked *Indico Seed*,
To be S O L D,
By GIBBES & HORT.

GEORGE COOKE & Co.
(*At the South Corner Store, oppoſite the* Exchange)
HAVE LATELY IMPORTED,
In the PORTLAND, *Captain* WILSON, *from* LONDON, *and the* BALTIC-MERCHANT, *Capt.* CLARKSON, *from* BRISTOL,
A large & complete Aſſortment of Goods;
CONSISTING OF
WOOLLEN and Linen Drapery, Millinary, Haberdaſhery, Hoſiery, Stationary, Grocery, Cutlery, Ironmongery, Saddlery, and Shoes; together with a great Variety of other neceſſary Articles; and as they were purchaſed upon the beſt Terms, and will diſpoſe of them on the moſt reaſonable Advance, the Importers flatter themſelves with the Hopes of giving their Cuſtomers in particular, and the Public in general, the utmoſt Satisfaction.

Charles-King Chettey, *Saddler*,
Begs Leave to acquaint the PUBLIC,
That he continues in the Shop late BURN & CHETTEY's,
In BROAD-STREET;
WHERE he intends to carry on the above Buſineſs in the moſt extenſive Manner; and, being determined to give the greateſt Attention to his Buſineſs, hopes to give general Satisfaction to thoſe Gentlemen that pleaſe to favour him with their Commands.
*** MERCHANTS that pleaſe to employ him, he will thankfully receive their Orders, and require no Caſh.

He has for S A L E, *at the above Shop*,
PLATED Spurs; plated ſnaffle Bridle Bitts, Pelham and Weymouth, and Brad-dows to ſuit; Silver-capt Whips of all Sorts and Sizes; common Ditto; Gentlemen and Ladies Saddles; Charriot and Chair Harneſs, complete; Caverſons for breaking young Horſes, and every other Material belonging to the above Buſineſs.

On Wedneſday *the 12th of* MAY *next*,
At Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon,
Will be SOLD by Auction on the Spot,
At Twelve Months Credit, giving Security, and paying Intereſt,
BERESFORD's WHARF,
Of about 105 Feet in Front,
Divided into 17 Lots, with a Street of 25 Feet in the Middle.
NUMBER 1 is a Corner Lot, 40 Feet Front on the Bay, and 21 Feet Front on the Street.
No. 2 is 18 Feet 4 Inches Front on the Street, and 40 Feet deep.
No. 3 is 18 Feet 2 Inches and a Half Front on ditto Street, and 40 Feet deep.
No. 4 is 18 Feet Front on ditto Street, and 40 Feet deep.
No. 5 is of the ſame Dimenſions.
No. 6 is 18 Feet 1 Inch and a Half Front on the Street, and 40 Feet deep.
No. 7 is 18 Feet Front on ditto Street, and 40 Feet deep.
No. 8 is 10 Feet 7 Inches Front on ditto Street, and 40 Feet Front on the Dock.
On each of the above Lots is a good Store, that can hold about 200 Barrels of Rice, beſides a good Cellar and very convenient Loft, all lately built on the South Side of the Street, and rent from 250l. to 320l. per Year.
No. 9 is 32 Feet 8 Inches Front on the Street, and 40 Feet Front on the Dock.
No. 10 is 26 Feet 6 Inches Front on ditto Street, and 40 Feet deep.
No. 11 is 23 Feet 1 Inch Front on ditto Street, and 40 Feet deep.
No. 12 is 22 Feet 6 Inches Front on ditto Street, and 40 Feet deep.
No. 13 is 22 Feet 5 Inches Front on ditto Street, and 40 Feet deep.
No. 14 is 22 Feet 3 Inches Front on ditto Street, and 40 Feet deep.
No. 15 is a Corner Lot, 20 Feet Front on the Bay, and 70 Feet 7 Inches Front on the Street.
No. 16 is 20 Feet Front on the Bay, and 70 Feet 7 Inches deep.
On each of the above Lots is a Store that holds about 150 Barrels of Rice, beſides a Cellar on the North Side of the Street, and rent from 120l. to 180l. per Year.
No. 17 is the Dock, where 5 Coaſting Scooners may unload together, it being about 55 Feet broad at the Head, and 103 Feet on Cooper-River, has about 30 Feet Land at the Head, and about 20 Feet Land of each Side, Half the Length of the Dock, for a Landing and Rolling-Way, is in good Order, having lately been fully repaired. This Wharf joining the Exchange-Wharf, makes it very convenient for Buſineſs, and the Purchaſers will have Storage at Half the Rent uſually paid on Wharfs.
A Plan of the Whole, may be ſeen, by applying to ALEXANDER GILLON, or
SAMUEL PRIOLEAU, *jun.* & Co.

For SALE, by private Contract,
Sundry large and valuable Lots of Land,
In HARLESTON.
The Situation of which is well known to be as pleaſant and airy as any in CHARLES-TOWN. Apply to
EDWARD HARLESTON,
JOHN HARLESTON,
ISAAC HARLESTON, or
THOMAS CORBETT.

Taken up A DRIFT in Aſhley-River,
About a Fortnight ago,
A large painted CANOW.
The Owner may have it again, on paying the Charges of Advertiſing, and giving ſomething to the Perſon who took it up. Enquire at the Printing Office on the *Bay*, near the *Exchange*.

For S A L E *privately*,
The following Property of BENJAMIN GUERARD,
Which he is deſirous of SELLING,
To have his Intereſt in one Place, *viz.*
A Very valuable Tract of 1000 Acres of Land, ſituate in *Prince William's* Pariſh, between *Combahee* and *Port-Royal* Ferries, having on it a Sufficiency of choice high Land for two profitable Indico Plantations; between which Two Hundred and Fifty Barrels of Rice may be made in a Year, as Ground to yield that Quantity of Barrels can be flowed with Water:—No Part of it was ever planted, but Sixty or Eighty Acres are cleared to begin one Plantation, FRESH and NEW, and therefore the BETTER and CHEAPER. It is eſteemed as fine a Tract for its Size as moſt in the Province, the up Land being high, ſo that Land Floods can never hurt the Crops of Indico and Corn thereon planted:——The Purchaſer, from the Red-Oak Trees that muſt unavoidably come down, in order to his making his Fields, may ſtrip a vaſt Number of Cords of Bark.
So complete a Tract as this, and of the like Diſtance from *Charles-Town*, is very rarely to be found for Sale; which would require no Recommendation, if a View by every one in Want of ſuch could be taken of it, and which, conſidering the high Price of good Lands, will be ſold *cheap*.——It pays no Quit-Rents, being Part of the Rich Lands included in *Thomas Lowndes's* Grant; and, as 'tis too late in the Seaſon to prepare for Planting for the enſuing Crop, the Purchaſer's Bond ſhall not carry Intereſt 'till Six Months from the Date are elapſed.
A delightful RETREAT,
Eight Miles by Land or Water from Town, known to be as well ſituated for Pleaſantneſs and Agreeableneſs of Proſpect as moſt Seats in the Province; on which, open to ſeveral Parts of that beautiful River, *Aſhley-River*, ſtands an elegant Houſe, with handſome commodious Offices.
With which will be S O L D,
The large Quantity of very genteel Furniture
Now in the ſaid Houſe.
A very eaſy and deſirable Diſtance for a Carriage and Four or Six Horſes, as a Gentleman may come to his Buſineſs in Town in the Morning, and return to his Family in the Evening.——The Inconvenience of not having ſuch a Place for a Family, is at all Times great, and much more ſo, when contagious Diſorders rage in the Metropolis, or thoſe few Months in the Year arrive, ſo deſtructive to Infants kept in Town.
It contains Three Hundred Acres of Land, and is allowed to have the beſt Paſture in the Neighbourhood (having kept all the Cattle thereabouts in good Condition for ſeveral Years paſt) of which Two are now incloſed with a ſtrong new Fence, as is alſo a Meadow for making Hay; has great Plenty of Fencing and Fire-Wood Trees, and, by a Gentleman having a Turn that Way, may be made a Place of ſome Profit as well as Pleaſure, as good Crops of Corn have been made on it, and one Year, when planted with that Grain, Sixty Barrels of Rice; but what can be more Profitable to grow on it than the Graſs it luxuriantly bears, as HAY (made with a very few Hands) is an Article of ſo great Demand in Town, and never ſells for leſs than *Ten Pounds* per Thouſand Weight, although often near One-Third Brambles.——It may be viewed at any Time.
His Two HOUSES in Town;
The one on the Corner of the *Bay*, near the *Exchange*, and the other adjoining, in *Broad-Street*, which (and that very low) rent for £. 960 per Annum, and are ſo advantageouſly ſituated for Trade, as will never be untenated;—beſides which Advantage, it is well known theſe Houſes were not built as thoſe which are intended to be Lett, no Coſt nor Pains being ſpared in getting the Materials the beſt of their Kind, which were put together in the moſt faithful and neat Manner:—The Wood Materials are of the beſt of Yellow Pine and Black Cypreſs, and the Mortar made of Freſh-Water River Gravel, ſo ſtrong a Cement as that none of the Tiles in the Great Hurricane 1752, were blown off, whilſt the Roofs of moſt of the Houſes tiled or ſlated were entirely uncovered thereby.
It has been often deſired that the Corner Houſe ſhould be made a COFFEE-HOUSE,—£. 1050 a Year Rent will be inſured, but there is no Doubt that £. 1100 can be got for them, as the Rents were never increaſed ſince the Building of the Exchange, as ſhould be.—The Terms to the Purchaſers ſhall be made as convenient as they can deſire.——Pleaſe to apply to
JACOB VALK.

To be LETT or SOLD,
TWO TENEMENTS,
In *Colleton's* Square, *Ellery-Street*.
Any Perſon inclinable to purchaſe, ſhall have them on ſuch Terms as to enable him to make *Twelve* per *Cent.* Intereſt, for his Money.——For further Particulars, enquire of
JACOB VALK.

A Sober, ſingle MAN, with a good Character, qualified for a SCHOOL-MASTER, will meet with good Encouragement, by applying to either of the Subſcribers on *John's-Iſland*.
JOHN FREER,
THOMAS HUNSCOME,
JOHN HOLMES.

ST. GEORGE's, DORCHESTER, *April* 19, 1773.
THE Veſtry of *St. George's* Pariſh, *Dorcheſter*, on Eaſter-Monday laſt, having laid an Aſſeſſment of 2*s.* and 3*d.* a Head on all Slaves, and the like Sum on each Hundred Acres of Land, and 1*s.* and 1*d.* ½ penny, on each Hundred Pounds of Monies at Intereſt, for the Support of the Poor within the ſaid Pariſh:—This is therefore to deſire all Perſons concerned, to make their Returns, and pay the ſame to the Subſcribers, on or before the 10th Day of *June* next.——*And Whereas* ſome have formerly been very dilatory in paying their Poor-Tax, they are deſired particularly, to avail themſelves of this Advertiſement, the Church-Wardens being determined to proceed againſt all Defaulters as the Law directs, without Reſpect of Perſons.
JOHN JOOR, } *Church-Wardens.*
ROBERT RAY, }

Taken up A DRIFT over the Bar,
On Friday *Morning the* 23*d Day of* April,
A Boat 28 Feet long, & 7 1-half wide,
With a ſmall Cabin and a Cedar Main thaught acroſs, her Pump fixes through her Cabin. The Owner may have it again by applying to the Printer, or to the Wharfinger at Mr. SAMUEL PRIOLEAU's Wharf, paying Salvage for the ſame.
JOHN ADDISON.

SOUTH-CAROLINA.
WILLIAM HOLLIDAY,
Intending to depart this Province in June *next*,
Gives this public NOTICE,
THAT he is ready to anſwer any Suit that may be brought againſt him, and to appear and give Bail to any Summons that ſhall be iſſued againſt him, in Terms of the Act of the General Aſſembly of this Province, commonly called the *Attachment-Act*.
All perſons having any Demands againſt him, are deſired to ſend in their Accompts, in order to be paid;—and thoſe who are indebted to him, by Bond, Note, or Book-Debt, are deſired to call and make Payment before that Time, the better to enable him to ſettle his Affairs, and prevent him the Trouble of appointing an Attorney, to ſue for him in his Abſence, a Meaſure quite diſagreeable to his Inclination.
The very extraordinary Countenance and Favours he has received from the Gentlemen of this Province individually, as well as in Societies, have been ſo many and ſo often repeated, that he begs hereby to be permitted to return them his moſt grateful Thanks.

On FRIDAY *the 7th Day of* May *next*,
And the following Days,
Will be SOLD, by public Vendue,
At his Houſe in BROAD-STREET,
All his Houſhold-Goods and Effects,
Conſiſting of Tables, Chairs, Looking-Glaſſes, China, Plate, Table Linen, and Kitchen-Furniture.
Alſo, Twenty-one valuable NEGROES;
Among them good Men and Women Cooks, Waſhers, Ironers, Houſe-Wenches, and Waiting-Boys, moſt of them can drive and take Care of Horſes:——And alſo, his Stock of the beſt Wines, Brandy, old Rum, Arrack, Geneva, and other Liquors, &c.
Ready Money will be expected for all Sums under One Hundred Pounds Currency; for larger Sums, twelve Months Credit will be given, on Bond, with good Security if required, and Intereſt from the Date.——Thoſe who abound in Caſh theſe ſcarce Times, and purchaſe to the Amount of One Hundred Pounds and upwards, ſhall have a Diſcount of *Two per Cent.* on the Purchaſe-Money.
The Property not to be altered 'till the Conditions are fulfilled.
N. B. The Negroes will be put up at Twelve o'Clock on the firſt Day of Sale.
The Houſe will be *ſhut up* on the 3d Day of *May*, to prepare for the Vendue:—In the intermediate Time, the Continuance of the Favours of the Public is deſired, and the utmoſt Pains will be taken to give Satisfaction.

ST. BARTHOLOMEW's Pariſh, *April* 20, 1773.
Run away from the Subſcriber,
About the *Fourth* of *January* laſt.
An elderly Negro Wench, named *Phillis*,
Who formerly, with her Son, *Lyander*, belonged to Mr. WILLIAM DAVIS, on the *Saltcatchers*, from whom I purchaſed her:—She is very artful, and, as I am informed, paſſes for a free Negro; had on when ſhe went away, a white Negro Cloth Jacket and Petticoat, and carried with her an old Plaid Gown: It is ſuppoſed ſhe is harboured out by ſome Negroes belonging either to Mr. *John Hunt* or *Joſeph Hunt*, as ſhe has been ſeen ſundry Times about their Plantations.——A Reward of *Five Pounds* Currency, with all reaſonable Charges, will be given to any Perſon, on Delivery of the ſaid Wench to me:——*Fifty Pounds* is offered to any Perſon who can prove her being harboured by a white Perſon, and *Ten Pounds* if harboured by a Mulatto, free Negro, or Slave;—to be paid on Conviction of the Offenders. RICHARD WAYNE.

Run-away from the Subſcriber,
Some Time in JANUARY laſt,
A NEGRO WENCH, named *Mary-Ann*.
A Reward of TWENTY POUNDS, will be given to any Perſon that will deliver her to the Warden of the Work-Houſe, or to me on *John's-Iſland*.—And, a further Reward of TWO HUNDRED POUNDS, to any Perſon that will give Information, upon Oath, of her being harboured by a white Perſon; and FIFTY POUNDS if harboured by a Negro.
THOMAS LADSON.

RUNAWAY
From the SUBSCRIBER, at GREAT-PEDEE, *the Fifteenth Day of* MARCH, 1772,
A likely Country born NEGRO FELLOW
Named PRINCE, late the Property of Mr. *William Reed*; he is about Five Feet Five or Six Inches high, and has a Scar on one of his Shoulders about the Size of a Piſtareen.—The ſaid Negro was harboured near *Black-River* till about the Firſt of *February* 1773, and then was carried off by one *Henry Morryſon*, Shoemaker by Trade, who is about five Feet 5 or 6 Inches high, an elderly Man, ſtoops forward, and has a long Noſe. Whoever will deliver the Negro and the ſaid *Henry Morryſon* to me, on Conviction, ſhall receive a Reward of ONE HUNDRED and FIFTY POUNDS Currency, or SIXTY POUNDS for the Negro, from JOHN POTTS.

CHARLES-TOWN, *April* 21, 1773.
I AM informed, by Mr. *James-Lytton Richards*, of a Bay MARE, about 13 Hands high, with a Switch Tail, branded on the off Shoulder ſomething like *M*, which has been a very long Time on the Eſtate of *David Graeme*, Eſq; on the *Indian-Land*, but very lately came to the Knowledge of the ſaid Mr. *Richards*, who is newly appointed Manager of the ſaid Eſtate.
Alſo, A Cream-coloured HORSE, three Years old, having no Brand or particular Mark, ſuppoſed to be the Colt of the above Mare. The Owner or Owners of the above Strays, may ſee them by applying to the ſaid Mr. *Richards*, in *Ponpon*, and may prove their Property before
WELLINS CALCOTT, J.P.

JOSEPH TIPPEN, of CHARLES-TOWN Neck, informs me of a Bay HORSE, about Thirteen Hands and an Half high, branded on the off Buttock with an Heart, and on the off Shoulder a blotched Brand; left in his Yard by a Negro Fellow.—The Owner muſt prove his Property before
April 20, 1773. JOHN REMINGTON, J.P.

CHARLES-TOWN, APRIL 26.

LAST Friday Evening arrived here, *Joseph Houghton*, Maſter, and the Crew, of the Sloop *Hope*, of and for St. Croix, from Beaufort, in North-Carolina; who informs us, that he ſailed from Beaufort aforeſaid, on the 18th Inſtant; that his Veſſel ſprung a Leak, in a hard Gale of Wind, the ſame Evening at Six o'Clock, which gained upon them ſo much, that at Eight the next Morning the Quarter-Deck blew up; that about Ten o'Clock he, with his People, Seven in Number (Six White and One Black) were obliged to take to the Boat, into which they took a Barrel of Pork, a Barrel of Cyder, and about Ten Gallons of Water; but the Weather continued ſo bad, that they were obliged to make faſt to the Leeward Side of the Sloop, and remain along-ſide of her all Night; that at about Ten o'Clock the next Morning, the Weather proving more moderate, they left her, Cape-Look-Out bearing N. W. about 25 Leagues Diſtance, and got ſafe to this Port in the Boat as above-mentioned.

Laſt Tueſday Evening Thomas Heyward, jun. Eſq; was married to an accompliſhed young Lady, Miſs Elizabeth Mathewes, Daughter of the late John Mathewes, Eſq.

On Friday laſt, being St. GEORGE's Day, upwards of Fifty Gentlemen, Natives of *Old England*, aſſembled and dined together at Holliday's Tavern, to celebrate that Anniverſary; when the Day was paſſed in Great Harmony, and with the moſt decent Feſtivity. Theſe Gentlemen have formed themſelves into a Society, to meet annually on St. GEORGE's Day; and, as Liberality of Sentiment has ever been the Characteriſtick of their Nation, fit Perſons of all Countries may become Members of that Society, which has taken the Name of THE SONS AND FRIENDS OF SAINT GEORGE, of which the following Gentlemen were unanimouſly choſen Officers.

The Hon. Sir EGERTON LEIGH, Bart. *Preſident.*
Sir EDMUND HEAD, Bart. *Vice-Preſident.*
Mr. GEORGE COOKE, *Treaſurer.*
WELLINS CALCOTT, Eſq; *Secretary.*
The Rev. Mr. LEWIS, *Chaplain.*

And the following Gentlemen were alſo nominated a Committee, for framing Rules, &c. viz. Col. Howarth, Mr. George-Abbot Hall, Mr. George Ancrum, ſenr. John Morris, Eſq; Rowland Rugeley, Eſq; Mr. Daniel Hall, and Mr. Jacob Valk; and Mr. James Wright, was choſen *Meſſenger*.

At the Anniverſary Meeting of the St. George's Society, on Friday laſt, at Mr. Tuke's, the following Officers thereof were choſen for the enſuing Year, viz.

Mr. JOSHUA LOCKWOOD, *Preſident.*
Mr. PETER VALTON, *junior Warden.*
M. ARTHUR DOWNES, *junior Warden.*
HOPKIN PRICE, Eſq; *Treaſurer.*
Mr. JOHN LORD, *Secretary.*
Mr. NOY-WILLY HUTCHINS, } *Stewards.*
Mr. JOHN BADDELEY, }

Laſt Week, Paul Douxſaint, and Thomas Horry, Eſqrs; were elected to repreſent the Pariſh of St. James, Santee, in the preſent General Aſſembly.

We are not yet informed, who were elected for the Pariſhes of St. Thomas & St. Dennis, and St. Helena.

The Election of a Commiſſioner of the Markets and Work-Houſe, in the Room of Robert Williams, jun. Eſq; who declines ſerving, is to come on next Wedneſday.

Yeſterday Morning His Majeſty's Ship Gibraltar, commanded by Sir Thomas Rich, Bart. ſailed for Boſton; from whence the Fowey is ordered on this Station.

There is a new Article among our Exports, cleared this Day, for the Weſt-Indies, viz. 25 Hogſheads and 93 Barrels of Lime.

The Price of Rice is now currently 65*ſ.* the 100 lb. occaſioned by the Certainty of the Shortneſs of the Crop.—— 88,268 Tierces have been ſhipped from this Port ſince the 1ſt of November laſt, and 3,775 from George-Town, making together 92,033 Tierces: A conſiderable Quantity has alſo been ſhipped from Georgia, and we have not yet an Account from Beaufort, of what has been ſent from thence.

The Quantity of Indico ſhipped from hence and George-Town, ſince the 1ſt of November laſt, amounts to 857,213 Pounds. What has been ſhipped from Beaufort, and is ſtill to go from hence, may probably make the Crop amount to 1,000,000 Pounds.

Timothy's Marine Liſt.

	Arrivals at Charles-Town,	From
April 23*d.*	Scooner Betſy & Polly, Samuel Stone,	Georgia
24*th.*	Scooner Savannah-Packet, John Turner,	Georgia
	Sloop Phœnix, John Dickinſon,	Guadaloupe
April	Sailed,	*For*
22*d.*	Scooner Roſe, Peter Bachop,	St. Auguſtine
	Sloop Three-Brothers, Elias Young,	St. Kitts
	Sloop Porgy, Jeremiah Baſſett,	St. Kitts
23*d.*	Ship Neſtor, John Harriſon,	Caſco-Bay
	Brigt. Friendſhip, William Moore,	Philadelphia
	Scooner Adventure, Clement Conyers,	Antigua
	Sloop Roſeau, Walter Clark,	North-Carolina
	Sloop Experiment, John Sawyer,	St. Kitts
24*th.*	Ship Katharine, Thomas Moore,	New-York
25*th.*	*His Maj. Ship Gibraltar, Sir Tho. Rich, Com.*	Boſton
	Brigt. Mary-Ann, Thomas Jorden,	Cowes
	Scooner Betſy, Jonathan Ingerſoll,	George-Town
	Remain windbound or cleared,	*For*
	Ship Proſper, William Dancey,	Cowes
	Ship Fair American, John Minſhall,	Cowes
	Ship Sincere Friend, Robert King,	Grenada
	Snow Good-Intent, George Gould,	Quebec
	Brigt. Sebenia, James Clark,	London
	Scooner Harlequin, Thomas Crawford,	Cape-Fear
	Scooner Horſe-Shoe, Thomas Eſtes,	Georgia
	Scooner Cannon, William Downing,	Eaſt-Florida
	Scooner Laſt-Shift, George Ball,	Turks-Iſland
	Scooner Beggars-Benniſon, Jeremiah Dickenſon,	Georgia
	Near loaded, or may ſail betwixt this and our next.	
	Ship Portland, James Wilſon,	London
	Ship Crawford, Charles Smith,	Cowes
	Ship Tryal, Duncan Murray,	London
	Ship Sea-Venture, Thomas Hall,	Cowes
	Ship Laurens, Thomas Shirloch,	Oporto
	Ship Cavendiſh, Thomas Williams,	Liverpoole
	Snow Trelandvian, Edward Dunſterville	Penryn
	Brigt. Liberty, Walter Wright,	Liſbon
	Brigt. Friendſhip, Robert Erſkine,	Cowes
	Brigt. Rainbow, William Gordon,	Cowes
	Scooner Liberty, Richard Churchill,	Georgia
	Scooner Hawke, John Gregg,	Providence
	Scooner Savannah-Packet, John Turner,	Georgia
	Scooner Polly, William Newton,	Providence
	Sloop Jamaica-Packet, Nathaniel Dickenſon,	Montſerat
	Sloop Harriot, Samuel Dickinſon,	St. Euſtatius
	Sloop Benjamin, Richard Newbold,	Jamaica
	Entered out beſides the above,	*For*
	Ship Friendſhip, William Carter,	Cowes
	Ship Admiral Spry, Michael Kelly,	Falmouth
	Ship Union, William Combes,	London
	Ship Lyon, William Crozier,	Jamaica
	Snow Chorley, Henry Critchley,	Barbados
	Brigt. Cumberland, Charles Henry,	Madera
	Brigt. Induſtry, Edward Allen,	Salem
	Other Veſſels in Port.	
	Ship John Galley, Thomas Hulme,	London
	Brigt. Union, Edward North,	
	Brigt. Neptune, Thomas Halebrton,	Plymouth
	Brigt. Live-Oak, Andrew Bayne,	
	Brigt. Friendſhip, Thomas Newell,	Dominica
	Brigt. Conway, John Bowditch,	
	Brigt. Betſy-Hendy,	
	Scooner Prince of Wales, Joſeph Harrington,	
	Scooner Comet,	
	Scooner Betſy,	
	Scooner Balmer,	
	Scooner John,	
	Sloop Robert, Joſeph Veſey,	St. Kitts
	Sloop Montego-Bay	
	Sloop Ranger,	Penſacola

New Advertiſements.

A PARCEL of exceeding good
MADERA WINE,
Juſt imported in the Brigt. UNION, Captain NORTH, from *Madera*, to be SOLD for Coſt and Charges,
By MILES BREWTON.

Exceeding fine Red & White Port,
AND
SWEET MOUNTAIN,
In Caſks, or Bottles at £.7 per Dozen,
Warranted GENUINE,
To be SOLD,
By EDMUND HEAD,
Who has Four able Negro Men to diſpoſe of.

THOMAS HARPER,
JEWELLER & GOLDSMITH,
At his Shop in BROAD-STREET, *near the* EXCHANGE;
HAS JUST RECEIVED,
As Complete an ASSORTMENT
OF
STONE BUCKLES
As any in TOWN;
Which, as they are immediately from the MAKER, will be ſold conſiderably under the USUAL PRICES:
Alſo, A few other ARTICLES,
SUCH as chaſed Coffee Pots; pierced Silver hilted Swords;—one very neat plain Gold Watch, capt and jewelled; ſundry Silver Ditto; Silver Table and Tea-Spoons; Silver handled Knives and Forks; white Ivory and Cam Wood Ditto.—A few Caſes of Surveyors Inſtruments; Fencing Foils; Mourning Buckles; gilt Pinchbeck Sleeve Buttons; Canes with Swords; Temple Spectacles; Morocco Pocket-Books; Mahogany and Shagreen Knife Caſes; Marooning Knives and Forks; Plate Bruſhes; ſome neat Setts of Quadrille Pools; Penknives; plated Candleſticks; Tutenague Ditto; Silver and Pinchbeck Buckles; gilt and plated Ditto; Cork Screws; Sciſſars; Gold Lockets; Neck Croſſes; Gold Cornelian Seals; Steel Watch Chains and Keys; a very neat Caſe of Surveyor's Inſtruments; Paper Snuff Boxes; Silver Nutmeg Grators; Gold and Silver Stone Buttons; Gold Rings; Stone Ear-Rings and Pins; japanned Bread Baſkets, *&c. &c.*

DAWSON & WALTER
HAVE JUST IMPORTED,
By the Portland, *Captain* James Wilſon, *from* LONDON,
A large Supply of GOODS,
For SPRING *and* SUMMER TRADE,
Which furniſhes their Stores in TOWN and COUNTRY with
Good ASSORTMENTS;
AMONGST WHICH ARE,
CASIMIRS of faſhionable Colours,
With Trimmings, and Men's other Summer Wear;
A great Variety of faſhionable SILKS,
Which they will ſell at *Nine* for *One*:
A large Quantity of cheap *Iriſh* Linens,
From 8*ſ.* 9*d.* to 40*ſ.* a Yard:
Complete Sets of Table and Tea China;
Large *Perſian* CARPETS;
Ladies Sattin, Brocade, and Morocco PUMPS;
And, a neat *London*-made CHAISE.

To be SOLD at private Sale,
A very healthy, handy, and willing
Young NEGRO Fellow,
This Country born, and about Eighteen Years of Age; has been a Waiting-Man in a private Family for ſeveral Years paſt, and uſed to attend a Horſe and Chair.—Enquire at the Printing Office on the *Bay*, near the EXCHANGE.
*** If inconvenient to the Purchaſer to pay the CASH; a Twelve Month's Credit will be allowed.

JOSEPH SMITH,
Intending for GREAT-BRITAIN in *Auguſt* next,
HE, in Order to entitle himſelf to the Benefit of an Act of the General Aſſembly of this Province, commonly called the *Attachment-Act*, GIVES NOTICE, That he is ready to appear, anſwer, or give Bail, to any Suit, Summons or Proceſs, that may be iſſued or brought againſt him, in Terms of the ſaid Act.——And, if any Perſon or Perſons, have any Demands againſt him, he requeſtes them to call and receive Payment. *April* 20, 1773.

John Buſh & Thomas Elliott,
Having entered into Co Partnerſhip,
UNDER THE FIRM OF
BUSH & ELLIOTT,
HAVE IMPORTED,
In the Ship UNION, *Captain* WILLIAM COOMBES, *from*
LONDON,
An Aſſortment of GOODS,
Proper for the preſent Seaſon,
That were choſen by Mr. BUSH;
Which they will diſpoſe of on *very reaſonable* Terms, at their Store in *Broad-Street*, next to Meſſrs. *Ancrums* & *Chiffelle's*:
Among which are the following Articles,
IRISH Shirting and Sheeting; 3 4, 7-8, and Yard-wide Cotton and Linen Checks and Stripes; Furniture Checks; ſtriped Hollands and Ginghams; ſtriped Damaſcus, *Flanders* Bed Tick; Bed Bunts; *Manchester* Cotton Gown Patterns; *Manchester* and *Scots* Handkerchiefs; Romals, *India* Nankeen; *Scots* and *German* Oſnabrugs; Dowlas and Garlix; *Ruſſia* Towelling; *Ruſſia* Drab; brown Hollands; clouting Diaper; Damaſk and Diaper Table Cloths and Tabling; Damaſk and Diaper Napkining; Damaſk Napkins; Tabling and Napkining Huckaback; figured and corded Dimity; white and dyed Jeans; Yard-wide *India* Dimity; brown Fuſtians; Cotton Counterpanes; *Marſeilles* Quilting for Petticoats; *Manchester* Pretties; Humhums; Book Muſlins; ſtriped and figured Muſlins; Suits of worked Muſlin and Lawn Aprons and Ruffles; Silk Gauze Aprons and Handkerchiefs; plain, ſpotted and ſprigged Silk Gauzes; Catgut; a Variety of the neweſt faſhioned RIBBANDS and FANS; Boys black and blue Sattin Caps, with Feathers; a Variety of Thread and Blond Laces; Skeleton Wire; Chip and Cane Hats; Silk and Cotton Laces; *Engliſh* and *India* Perſians and Taffeties of all Colours; Sarſenets; black, blue, crimſon, white, green, and pink plain and flowered Sattins and Peelongs; black and blue corded Paduſoys; blue and white, and red and white Cotton Bed Patterns; Chints Gown Patterns; printed Callicoes and Cottons; white Bed Lace and Fringe; white and coloured Bed Taſſels and Curtain Lines; Piſtol, Long, and Clear Lawns; Cambricks and Britannias.

Black Callimanco; black Ruſſel; blue and black Princes Stuff; Bombazine; black and white Tammies; Quality Binding; Silk Ferrets; *Wilton* Carpets and Bed Sides; Lift and *Scots* Carpeting; Matraſſes; Shirt Buttons.

China Plates, Diſhes, Bowls, Afternoon and Breakfaſt Cups and Saucers; Coffee Cups and Saucers; Sets of Tea China; Sets of China Jars and Beakers.

Gold and Silver Baſket ſpangled Coat and Breaſt Buttons; gilt and Mohair Ditto,

Hyſon and Bohea Tea; Loaf Sugar; Pepper; *Stoughton's* Elixir; *Godfrey's* Cordial; *Bateman's* Drops; *Daffy's* Elixir; Turlington; *Epſom* and *Glauber's* Salts; Vitriol; Sal Volatile; Manna; Rhubarb; *Anderſon's* and *Lockyer's* Pills; Camphire; Spirits of Hartſhorn; Lavender and Hungary Water; plain and ſcented Hair-Powder; Fig and Powder Blue; Shaving-Boxes; Powder-Machines; Powder-Boxes, with Puffs.

Ounce and Pound Threads; Oſnabrug Ditto; Nankeen and Knitting Thread; flowering Cotton; Tapes; Pigtail, Shag, and *Oronoko* Tobacco; *Scots* Rappee and *Straſburg* Snuff.

Gun Worms and Hammers; Steel Snuffers; Buck, Bone, black Horn and Cocoa-handled Knives and Forks; Buck-Handle Carving Knives and Forks; Stag and Buffalo Cutteau Knives; Buck, Buffalo, and Tortoiſe Handle Pen Knives; Lancets; Horſe Fleams; Sciſſars; Razors; Fiſhſkin Caſes, with Razors, &c. complete; Razor Strops and Hones; Cork Screws; black Lead Pencils; Horn Breaſt Moulds; Womens Braſs Thimbles; *Bath* Metal and Silver Ditto, with Steel Tops; Braſs Scales and Weights; Money Scales; Braſs Candleſticks; Braſs Curtain Rings; Braſs Gun Hooks; Cloak Pins, and Chimney Hooks; Braſs Cocks; japanned Waiters, and Sugar Tongs; brown and japanned Tea Kitchens; Duſt-Pans; Glaſs Lanthorns; common Sleeve Buttons; *Bath* Metal and Pinchbeck Shoe Buckles; Steel and plated Spurs; Cotton and Wool Cards; Steelyards; Currycombs; Stirrup Irons; Bridle Bitts; Backgammon Tables; Horn Tumblers; Silver-mounted Cutteaus with Belts; Cruet Stands.

Cloves, Mace, Nutmegs, and Cinamon; Men, Women, Boys and Girls Cotton and Thread Hoſe; Men and Womens Silk Ditto; Mens white Silk Gloves; Womens Silk Gloves and Mitts; Silk Umbrellas; Silk and Worſted Breeches Patterns; Shot and Bar Lead; Mahogany and Walnut-Frame Looking-Glaſſes.

Men and Boys Felt, Caſtor, and Beaver Hats, of the neweſt Faſhion; Ladies neat Riding Hats; Writing-Paper, Ink-Powder, Sealing-Wax, Waters, Quills, blank Books, *Morocco* Pocket-Books, Spelling-Books, *Watts's* Pſalms, Bibles, Teſtaments and Pſalters.

A few Pieces of *London* ſtriped DUFFILS.

Men, Women and Maids Leather Gloves; ſewing Silk; Sallad Oil; *Spaniſh* and *French* Olives, Capers, Walnuts, Anchovies, Ketchup, Soy, and *Durham* Muſtard.

Boys and Girls Leather, and *Morocco* Shoes and Pumps; Womens Sattin and Brocade Pumps; embroidered *Morocco* and Silk Ditto; embroidered *Morocco* and Nankeen Patterns for Womens Shoes; Bottle Stands; Portmantua Trunks; Copper Tea-Kettles and Coffee Pots.

An Aſſortment of Fowling Pieces and Plantation Guns; Gun Locks; Horſe Bruſhes; ſcrubbing Bruſhes and Clamps; Hearth and Hair Brooms; Mane Combs and Spunges; Cloth, Tooth, Comb and Shoe Bruſhes; Horn and Ivory Combs; Iron Wire Rice Sieves; Bottle Cranes; Baſons, Cloſe-ſtool and Bed Pans.

A few Pieces of Broad Cloth, with ſuitable Trimmings; black and blue Serge-de-Niſme; *Wilton* Cloths, Caſſimirs, Sagathies, white Flannel; Pins and Needles; *Kirby* and common Fiſh-Hooks of all Sizes; Hair Sieves, Knitting Needles, Blacking Ball, &c. &c. &c.

A PERSON, qualified, equal to any in the Province, having a few Hours to ſpare in the Day Time, would devote them in bringing up a Sett or Two of Merchants Books. Enquire at the PRINTING-OFFICE on the BAY, near the EXCHANGE.

IN the Poſſeſſion of Mr. *William Ratbell*, a white MARE, about Twelve Hands high, paces and trotts, branded on the mounting Shoulder P, and on the mounting Buttock I, has both Ears cropped. The Owner muſt prove his Property before *April* 1, 1773. JOHN MITCHELL.

PROSERPINE's RAGOUT.

AS once great Pluto drove his royal wheels,
O'er the large confines of the Stygian fields;
With kingly port he sat, and by his side,
Rode his fair Captive, now his awful Bride.
But from the lakes a sulph'rous mist invades,
And strikes the fainting Empress of the shades.
The trembling Queen is seiz'd with sickly yawns,
With griping cholics, and with feverish qualms.
Back to the palace was the general cry,
Before the lash her sable courses fly;
There reels the dame, and sought her royal bed,
Where the soft pillows rais'd her drooping head:
Restoring lenitives were sought in vain,
To cool her vitals and asswage her pains.
On nothing would the peevish matron feed;
Then useful Mercury was call'd with speed,
And sent on earth some curious dish to frame,
Of light digestion for the sickly dame.
To earth he posted, where he quickly found,
Proper ingredients on our fertile ground;
Here first he seiz'd, as nonsubstantial foods,
The Courtiers friendship, and the zeal of Prudes;
The sighs of Widowers, and blends with those
The vows of Lovers, and the brains of Beaus;
The Misers charity, the Drunkards cares,
The wealth of Poets, and the tears of Heirs;
Philander's patience, when his Lord denies;
The frowns of Cælia, when her heart complies:
Then with a breath along the air he drives
The love of Husbands, and the charms of Wives;
Where trifles dwell sagacious Hermes knew,
The winged youth to lordly senates flew;
From thence debates and long harangues to cull,
And steep'd them softly in a Statesman's skull.
And now the frothy dish began to seem,
A proper viand for his sickly Queen:
To crown the rest, he met by lucky chance,
The wit of England, and the truth of France.

ANECDOTE.

ON the representations which the King of Poland has caused to be made to the principal Courts of Europe, a Minister of one of those powers, of new creation, ordered demand to be made, on the part of his master, by his Ambassador at the Court of Berlin, of the motives which engaged the King of Prussia to invade authoritatively the city of Dantzick, and to plot with the empire and Russia the division of Poland: His Prussian Majesty replied, "That he owed no account to any one either of his actions or his projects; that in 1753 the English took the French men of war and merchant ships without any declaration of war by armed force; that in 1764 they made a settlement by their own authority in Falkland Islands without consulting any power; that the Spaniards in 1769 retook it in the same way, but that they had been obliged to restore it to their confusion, for not having forseen the consequences of their proceedings; that in 1768 the French landed in Corsica, and made themselves masters and possessors of it by an act of despotism; that himself in 1766 had ravaged Saxony; that in 1772 he took possession of the city of Dantzick, and in 1773 he hoped to be in possession, and to re-unite to his own territories a third of Poland; and that he will never solicit the friendship of any power, how formidable soever it may be, with so much humility and hypocrisy, as that which was solicited lately of a certain power of the North.

New Advertisements.

SOUTH-CAROLINA.

CHARLES-TOWN, *March* 31*st*, 1773.

Pursuant to a Decree of the Hon. the Court of Chancery,
Will be SOLD, for *Ready Money*, at public Vendue,
On Tuesday *the* 4*th Day of* MAY *next*,
At Twelve o'Clock at Noon,
Before the MASTER of the said Court, at his House in TRADD-STREET,

ALL that valuable Plantation or Tract of Land lately belonging to *Josias Dupré*, deceased, containing Five Hundred Acres, situate in *Craven* County in the Province aforesaid, and is butting and bounding to the South-West on *Tibevien* Creek, to the North-East on Land of *Lewis Mouzon*, to the North-West on vacant Land and partly on Land of *Stephen Seavy*, and to the South East on a Marsh to the Sea Shore.

WILLIAM BURROWS, *Master in Chancery.*

To be SOLD,
At the House of Mrs. Sarah Beresford, *on the* Bay,
On FRIDAY and SATURDAY,
The 14*th and* 15*th Days of* MAY *next*,

All her Houshold-Furniture;

Two HARPSICORDS,
One single and one double rowed;
Two GUITTARS;
A Bale of Negro-Cloth; | A Cask of Axes;
A Bale of Duffil Blankets; | About 3000 Weight of
A Cask of Hoes; | Sole Leather;
The House & Lot where Mrs. *Beresford* lives,
And Two Low-Water LOTS,
Fronting the same, of Fifty Feet Front each.

The Sale will begin on each Day at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, and the House will be put up at Twelve o'Clock on SATURDAY.

The Purchasers of the House and Lots may have Twelve Months Credit, on giving approved Security, and paying Interest. SAMUEL PRIOLEAU, jun. & Co.

For SALE,

A HOUSE and LOT, in *George-Street*, *Ansonborough*, Forty-one Feet wide, and Two Hundred and Forty-two Feet deep, with every necessary Out-Building for a genteel Family, and a Well of exceeding good Water.—Any Person inclinable to purchase, may apply, in *Union-Street-Continued*, to JOHN MATTHEWS.

Where the SHOE-MAKING BUSINESS is carried on as usual, and DRAWING BOOT-LEGS, of the best Quality, always ready.

N. B. He desires those whose Accounts have been long standing, to discharge them immediately.

JOHN VINYARD,

Leather-Dresser, Breeches Maker, & Glover,
At his Shop in TRADD-STREET,

MAKES Breeches of two or three different Colours, which suit extremely well for Common Wear or for Waiting-Boys, also Gloves of the best Kinds.—He likewise makes Boot-Straps that will not stain the Breeches, which those that are made of tanned Leather will frequently do, and others to wear underneath the Breeches—Merchants and others may have Skins dressed for Exportation, after the Indian Manner, on very reasonable Terms.

He returns his sincere Thanks to those Gentlemen, &c. who have already been pleased to favour him with their Custom, and hopes, that his Punctuality in executing their Orders, the Neatness of his Work, and the Reasonableness of his Charges, will entitle him to their future Favours.

DAVID DOTT,

Acquaints his FRIENDS in Town and Country,

THAT he has taken a House in *King-street*, next Door to Mr. JOHN HATFIELD, where COUNTRY GENTLEMEN may be genteelly LODGED and BOARDED:—Also, a few DAY BOARDERS may be accommodated, upon *easy Terms*.

To be SOLD,

A good SCOONER,

Burthen Ninety Barrels of Rice,

With two new Cables, and Grapnals; Canow built, draws but four Feet and an Half Water when loaded; will carry Ten Thousand Bricks, or Twelve Cords of Wood.

AND ALSO,

Three very stout, young healthy Negro-Men,

Fit for a Coasting Scooner, being used to going in Vessels for these three Years past. Apply to

JOHN CHAMPNEYS.

N. B. A Parcel of Ash Oars, Pitch, Tar, and Turpentine, to be SOLD by *Retale*—and a large FLAT to be HIRED out by the Day.

Strayed or Stolen, from the Subscriber,
The 15*th of* February, 1773, *on* CHARLES-TOWN *Road, by* Maxwell's *old Field*,

A black HORSE,

Branded on the off Shoulder † ML in one, about 13 Hands and an Half high, eleven Years old, trotts and canters.

Also, A bright Bay MARE,

On the 18th of *February* last, between the *Ten-Mile* House and Mr. *Godin*'s Plantation:—She is a natural Pacer, near fourteen Hands high, four Years old next *May*; has had a Fistula, and branded on the off Buttock † ML in one. Whoever brings the said Creatures to Mr. *Peter Witten*, or Mr. *Herman Nufer*, in Charles-Town, or the Subscriber, at the Congarees, shall receive a Reward of TEN POUNDS Currency for each, besides reasonable Expences;—and if stolen, on bringing the Offender to Justice, TWENTY-FIVE POUNDS will be paid, by

3 M. MICHAEL LEINTER.

STOLEN or STRAYED
From the Ten-Mile House, on the Goose Creek *Road*,

A dark Bay HORSE,

Thirteen Hands high, has a Star in his Forehead, and both his Fore Legs bent, with three Saddle Spots; branded on one Shoulder and Buttock F. G. Whoever delivers the said Horse to HERMAN NEUFER in *Charles-Town*, or the Subscriber at the *Congarees*, shall have TEN POUNDS Reward, and all reasonable Charges. ANDREW HICKER.

Strayed from *Silver-Bluff*, on *Savannah* River,
In DECEMBER last,

Two HORSES, *viz.*

A grey, with black Mane and Tail, 14 Hands high, branded in several Places WL, paces, trotts, and canters.——And a sorrel, 13 Hands and an Half high, branded ER, trotts and canters.—A Reward of *One Guinea* for each, and all reasonable Charges will be paid, on Delivery of them to Mr. WILLIAM MITCHELL, at *Orangeburgh*, Mr. JOSEPH SLANN, on *Slann*'s Island, or to the Subscriber.

March, 28 1773. HENRY MOUZON, *jun.*

RUN AWAY,

From the Subscriber on PORT-ROYAL *Island, the Third Instant*,

A NEGRO FELLOW named NED,

He is well made, about Five Feet six Inches high, Country born, and speaks very proper, has a pretty wide Mouth and full Eyes; had on when he went away, a white Negro Cloth Jacket and Breeches. Whoever delivers him to me, at my Plantation on *Port-Royal*, or to the Warden of the Work-house, shall have SIX DOLLARS Reward, and all reasonable Charges, from

EDMUND ELLIS.

THE CO-PARTNERSHIP
OF
PETER LEGER & Co.

HATH been expired upwards of *Two Years* (a Time sufficient to have had all their Affairs closed) and it being absolutely necessary that they should be so by the 25th of *April* next, at farthest—they request all those, whose Bonds, Notes, and Book-Debts, still lay undischarged, that they will, *without further Notice*, call and discharge the same by the above Time, otherwise they may expect to hear of their being in the Hands of an Attorney to be sued for.

PETER LEGER & Co.

To be SOLD for no Fault,

But the present Owner being about to leave the Province,

A young, healthy, sober NEGRO FELLOW,

That can Hand, Reef, and Steer, and is well acquainted with the Coast and Rivers,

A good Bill of Exchange will be taken in Payment. Enquire at the PRINTING-OFFICE on the BAY, near the EXCHANGE.

JOHN BLOTT, Upholsterer,

In BROAD-STREET, near KING-STREET,

Has just imported, in the Ship UNION, *Captain* WILLIAM COOMBES, *from* LONDON,

A great Variety of Paper-Hangings,
Of the neatest and newest Patterns;

Which his Friends and Customers may be supplied with *very cheap*, for CASH or SHORT CREDIT,

BED FURNITURE;—Window Curtains;—Pavillions;—*Venetian* Blinds;—Hair and Wool Mattrasses;—and all other Branches in the UPHOLSTERY and PAPER-HANGING Business, performed in the neatest and best Manner.

N. B. Ready-Money for good FEATHERS, and clean WOOL, free from Burs.

For LONDON,
The Ship *UNION*,
WILLIAM COOMBES, Master.
(Burthen about 800 *Barrels of RICE.)*

WILL sail in all this Month:—For Freight or Passage, having excellent Accommodations, apply to said Master on Board, or to

ANDREW & GEORGE LORD.

To be SOLD,
On TUESDAY the 11th of *May* next,
At the Vendue-House in CHARLES-TOWN,

The SCOONER *John*,
Burthen about 220 Barrels of Rice:

And, Several good BOAT NEGROES.

ALSO,

Two large and valuable Lots of LAND;

THE one fronting on Meeting-Street One Hundred Feet, and is in Depth Two Hundred and Fifty-three Feet;—having thereon two large Stables, which have let, for several Years past, at *One Thousand Pounds* per Annum.—The other fronts on King-Street One Hundred Feet, and in Depth Two Hundred and Thirty-two Feet; on which is an exceeding good Dwelling-House, with a Kitchen, large Garden, and every other necessary Convenience for a Family.

Also, An ISLAND in *Broad-River*,
Containing Four Hundred and Fifty Acres, esteemed to be very fine Land for Wheat, Tobacco, and Indico.

The above, being that Part of the Estate of Mr. JOHN MARLEY, which remained unsold the 7th Instant, will be peremptorily disposed of, without Reserve, on the above mentioned Day.

The Scooner not arriving in Time was not put up; and the Lands were not sold for Want of Bidders.

GEORGE WOOD,
PETER BOCQUET, jun. } *Executors.*
DANIEL CANNON,

To be Leased for a Term of Years, or Sold,

A Plantation in *Goose-Creek* Parish,

Twenty Miles from Town, by Land or Water,

CONTAINING upwards of Four Hundred Acres, on a bold deep Creek, called *Foster*'s; whereon is a good Dwelling-House of five Rooms and a Piazza, and every necessary Out Building, situated on a very pleasant healthy Hill: The Land is well stocked with Pine Wood and Sawing Timber of the best Quality, and some Oak, Hickory, &c.

A very advantageous BRICK-YARD may be established on it, the Land being entirely Clay a Foot beneath the Surface.—For Particulars, enquire of

HENRY GRAY.

Who has *Ten* or *Twelve* Bushels of SEA-SHORE INDICO SEED, for SALE, *very cheap*.

The SUBSRCIBER
INTENDS to leave the Province in *May* next,
Therefore as he is desirous of giving Satisfaction to his Creditors before he departs, begs they will send in their Accounts for Payment.—At the same Time he requests the Favour of all Persons who are any Wise indebted to him, to pay the same on or before the Last Day of April ensuing, which will prevent him from taking such Steps as would be very disagreeable to

RICHARD COLE.

Who has a handy, sensible Waiting Boy, and a few exceeding good green Silk Umbrelloes, of a new Taste, to dispose of very reasonably for CASH.

To be SOLD,
At the NEW OIL and COLOUR SHOP
On the BAY, near the EXCHNGE,

Linseed, Lamp, and Train Oil, and Colours.

PAINTING, GLAZING, and GILDING,
Performed in the neatest Manner.

Four Negro Painters, to be hired by the Day,

Who are capable of finishing a Piece of Work in any Manner their Employers may think proper to have it.

Mariners Compasses rectified—Glass cut to all Dimensions—Chinese Book-Cases glazed in the neatest Manner—PAINTS prepared for Merchants, Country Gentlemen, and Masters of Vessels, by Their humble Servant,

WILLIAM WAYNE.

N. B. He returns Thanks to his Friends and Customers for their past Favours, and assures them, that no Endeavours of his shall be wanting, to merit a Continuance of them.

To be LET,
And may be entered on immediately,

A Very commodious Two-Story Brick HOUSE, in *Colleton-Square*, next to Mr. TORRANS's, lately occupied by Mr. FLEY.—It has every Conveniency for a Family: The Situation is very high—fronts the Water, and is exceeding pleasant and healthy in the Summer Season. Enquire of

John-Gabriel Guignard.

Supplement to the South-Carolina GAZETTE.

[NUMB. 1949.] MONDAY, APRIL 26, 1773.

CHARLES-TOWN: Printed by T. POWELL & Co. at the Printing-Office near the EXCHANGE.

By particular DESIRE,

And at the Requeſt of ſeveral LADIES and GENTLEMEN,

The celebrated Mr. *Saunders*,

Will, for ONE NIGHT only,

Play a Benefit for himſelf and Mr. *Stotherd*,

Which will be on *Thurſday* next the 29th Inſtant,

In Mr. STOTHERD's Long-Room, behind the *Beef Market*,

Which is now greatly enlarged, and made proper for the Reception of a large Company.

Amongſt a Number of Grand Deceptions

MR. SAUNDERS will pull off his Shirt, without taking off either his Coat or Waiſtcoat, and the Shirt may be examined by any Gentleman, to ſatisfy the Company that it is made in the ſame Manner as any other.—He will likewiſe let any Number of Ladies or Gentlemen think of as many Cards as they pleaſe, and the ſame ſhall be found in a roaſted Leg of Mutton, hot from the Fire, which will be placed on the Table.—He will alſo permit any Perſon to cut a Piece entirely out of a Lady's Apron, Ruffle, or Gown, and in one Minute's Time will make the ſame as perfect again as before.—He will likewiſe let any Lady or Gentleman cut off a Pidgeon's Head, and will inſtantly replace it, and bring the ſame to Life again; with a Number of other ſurpriſing Grand Deceptions, which have never been performed in this Town before, and are too numerous to inſert in an Advertiſement.

After ACT I.

Mr. *Stotherd* will ſing the *Duſt-Cart*—a favourite Cantata, accompanied with the Guittar.

ACT the 2d.

He will play the French Horn and Guittar in Concert.

After the 3d.—A SONG by Mr. *Humphrys*.

After the 4th.—The *Lark Shrill Notes*, accompanied with the Guittar, by Mr. *Stotherd*.

The Whole to conclude with a Hunting SONG, called *Away to the Fields*—by Mr. *Stotherd*.

The Doors to be opened at 6, and the Performance to begin at 7.

No Perſon to be admitted without a TICKET, which may be had at the Place of Performance, and no where elſe.——Pit Tickets, *One Dollar* each—Gallery Ditto, *Twenty Shillings*.

N. B. Mr. SAUNDERS, after the above Performances, will teach the Company ſeveral Tricks on Cards, &c. *Gratis*.

*** It will be eſteemed a particular Favour, if Ladies and Gentlemen will apply for Tickets before the Night, to prevent the Trouble of Change, and other Inconveniences which may otherwiſe attend.

WAKEFIELD,

HAS IMPORTED,

In the laſt Veſſels from LONDON *and* BRISTOL,

A LARGE CARGO OF New-faſhioned GOODS,

VIZ.

LINEN DRAPERY,

IRISH Shirting and Sheeting Linens, of all Prices and Widths; printed Linens, Cottons, Calicoes, and Chintzes; Huckaback, Diaper, Damaſk, with Suits of Diaper and Damaſks, very elegant.

A large Aſſortment of cheap Muſlins, with Tambour and Minionet Suits, of all Prices.

A large Value of well choſen *Yorkſhire* Cloths, Shalloons, Tammies, Durants, Caſimirs, Whitneys, *Bath* Coating, Calamancoes, Serge de *Niſmes*, and Diaper Cover-Lids.

MANCHESTER GOODS,

Checks, Stripes, Loom Quilting; blue, white, crimſon, and black Velverets; ſuperfine ſtamped Velvets; Jeans, Dimities, 12-4ths Cotton Counterpanes, and Toilet Cloths.

A large Value of HABERDASHERY,

With black, Blond, and Thread Laces and Edgings, of every Width; *Bruſſels* Lace; ſcarlet Cloaks; Modes, Sarſenet, Peelongs, Satins, Gauzes, Catgut; Perſian and Satin Coats; Cravats; Ladies Linen Gloves; Ermine; Satin Cardinals, with very elegant Hats and Cloaks, neatly finiſhed.

A Variety of faſhionable HATS,

Of the beſt Beaver, and Hunting Hats, *Newmarket* Faſhion; Children's Hats, plain and trimmed, with Ladies Riding Hats, more elegant than his laſt Importatien, and very cheap.

A CONSIGNMENT of SILKS,

With Bombazine, Paduſoy, and Silk Waiſtcoats, Tambour trimmed, cheaper than any in this Province.

Amongſt his large ASSORTMENT, ARE,

HANDSOME Toilet Glaſſes, japanned, with oval Frames; Tea-Cheſts; dreſſing and ſwinging Glaſſes; Shoes of every Kind; with Carpeting, Tin-Ware, Stationary, Pewtery, Turnery, Pipes, Violins, Cages, Ribands, Hoſiery, Perfumery, *&c. &c.*

IRONMONGERY of every Kind,

With a large Aſſortment of Cutlery, and almoſt every Article in the Saddlery Branch, Saddles, Boxes of Glaſs, red and white Lead, ſhort Pipes, Crates of Earthen and Queen's Ware, ſplit Peaſe, and Vinegar in Jugs; Beads, Iron Pots, Jugs of all Sizes, Steel; Loaf Sugar, ſingle and double refined; Oſnabrugs, and white Plains, with ſundry other Articles, imported to ſell by WHOLESALE and RETAILE.

*** A Correſpondence being eſtabliſhed with the capital Houſes of the inland Manufactories, and purchaſed from thence upon the CHEAPEST TERMS, his Friends may be aſſured of always receiving their Goods of a good Quality, and CHEAP—being enabled to afford them on as LOW TERMS as any Store in CAROLINA.

HOUSHOLD-FURNITURE.

To be SOLD by public Outcry,

At the Subſcriber's Houſe, on the BAY,

On FRIDAY the 30th of *April* Inſtant,

ALL his Houſhold Furniture, conſiſting of a large Variety of genteel and uſeful Articles:—Alſo, A PEW, on the North ſide of the Middle Iſle, (No. 18) in *St. Michael's* Church.

A very handſome and light new Chariot and a Chaiſe, But little uſed, with Harneſs for two Horſes,

To be ſold at the ſame Time, if not diſpoſed of by private Sale.

N. B. The Sale will begin preciſely at *Nine* o'Clock in the Forenoon; and, if not finiſhed before Dinner, the Remainder to be ſold on the Morning following.

Ackabee PLANTATION,

To be SOLD by private Sale,

IT contains Seventy-one Acres and an Half, has thereon a very good Dwelling Houſe, Coach-Houſe, and a Stable that is paved, and has Stalls for five Horſes, with every other neceſſary Out-Building:—Its pleaſant and airy Situation cannot be excelled by any other in the Province, having an open and very extenſive View of *Aſhley River*, whence, in the hotteſt Summer's Day, it never fails of pure and refreſhing Breezes, which render it both delightful and healthy; very ſuitable for a Gentleman's Family to retire to, being but Six Miles from *Charles-Town*.——Apply to the Subſcriber.

Who, intending to depart the Province in *June* next, deſires thoſe who are indebted to him, to make immediate Payment; and thoſe having Demands on him, to call and receive Payment.—Meanwhile he gives this *Public Notice*, That he is ready to appear, anſwer, or file Bail to any Suit, Summons or Proceſs, that may be iſſued or brought againſt him, in Terms of the *Attachment-Act*.

ISAAC MOTTE.

N. B. Thoſe Perſons who do not call for Payment before his Departure, are to take Notice, That he will leave Directions with his Attornies, not to pay any Accompt that may be brought to them in his Abſence.

To be SOLD,

At the uſual Place in CHARLES-TOWN,

On Thurſday *the 29th Day of* April *Inſt.*

A PLANTATION,

CONTAINING 782 Acres of Land, belonging to the Eſtate of Mrs. SARAH WARING, deceaſed, lying and being in Saint *James's, Gooſe-Creek*, about 18 or 20 Miles from *Charles-Town*, extending on both Sides of the High-Road, adjoins Lands of Mr. *John Deas*, the Eſtates of Doctor *Brown* and Doctor *Law*, deceaſed; is good for Corn, Rice or Indico, on which is a very large Brick Houſe, which, with Repair, may be made as commodious a Dwelling-Houſe as moſt in the Province, and, as it is pleaſantly ſituated, would be very ſuitable for a Country-Seat.——Twelve Months Credit will be given, paying Intereſt, and giving approved Security.

JAMES AKIN.
THOMAS AKIN.

To be SOLD by public Outcry,

On TUESDAY the 18th of MAY next,

At TEN *o'Clock in the Forenoon*,

At the Plantation where the late SAMUEL THOMAS, *Eſq; lived, in* St. Stephen's *Pariſh, agreeable to his laſt Will*,

HIS Houſhold-Furniture, Plate, Stock of Cattle, Sheep, Hogs, Horſes, Mares, and Colts (ſome of which are of the *Engliſh* Breed).—Alſo, Two Riding-Chairs.

All Sums above *Fifty Pounds*, Credit will be given to the *Firſt* of *January* 1774, with Intereſt from the Day, and Security, if required.

EDWARD THOMAS, *jun.*
SAMUEL THOMAS, } *Executors.*

About TWO HUNDRED Cords OF Exceeding good Oak and Hickory Wood,

To be delivered at Mr. SLANN's Landing, either together or by the Boat Load;

And large Grain *Turks-Iſland* SALT,

By the Quantity,

To be SOLD,

By JOHN CHAMPNEYS.

To be SOLD,

A young, ſtout NEGRO MAN,

An exceeding good BARBER.——Apply to JOHN CHAMPNEYS.

To be LET,

A Plantation in *Gooſe-Creek* Pariſh,

Lately belonging to Doct. THOMAS CAW, deceaſed, pleaſantly ſituated on the Public Road, Twelve Miles from *Charles-Town*, on which are ſome good Out-Buildings, Rice, and other good Lands, ready cleared and fit for immediate Planting.

Alſo, another PLANTATION,

On *Santee*, in *St. James's* Pariſh, adjoining Lands of Mr. LEWIS DUTARQUE; on which are ſome Buildings. The Rent will be low. Apply to

THEODORE GAILLARD, jun.

The Offices of Friendſhip; a Moral Eſſay.

IN the purity of its meaning, friendſhip implies nothing more than a virtuous and mutually-pleaſing commerce between two perſons. It is different from charity, which is an inborn propenſity to do good to every body. Its exertions extend no farther than to thoſe with whom we are actually in connection. Yet friendſhip is by no means an enemy to that charity which is natural to man, but makes its rays converge into a particular attachment. It ſeems to be an inſufficiency within ourſelves to our own happineſs, that cauſes the neceſſity of friendſhip.

Is man alone? He becomes acquainted with his miſery; he feels that he wants a prop; in conſequence he looks for an approver of his taſte; a companion in his amuſements and his ſufferings: One, whoſe heart and mind can be devoted to him entirely.

But, ſuch is the conſtitution of our nature, that, when any apparent good preſents itſelf to us at a diſtance, our deſires point that way; and no ſooner is it attained than it proves in ſome meaſure diſpleaſing. It thus happens to friendſhip; the intimacy, which, beheld at a diſtance, promiſed to fix our deſires, when viewed too near, deceives our hopes; and, ſo far from filling up the void we expected it would, leaves us in the midſt of wants, that diſtract and make us ſeek for other reſources: From which circumſtance we become neglectful of pleaſing; and proceed, even moroſely, to arrogate, as a tribute due, thoſe arts of complacency which had formerly been received as a voluntary gift, and with an air of acknowledging cheerfulneſs.

It is in the nature of man to appropriate flatteringly to himſelf a right, as it were, to thoſe favours which politeneſs gratuitouſly paid; and, from being long accuſtomed to them, he thinks he has a natural claim to what he holds merely from the courteſy of others. The will of his friends he fancies too frequently ought to be entirely at his diſpoſal: And when ſuch preſumptions ſpring up on both ſides, as it often happens, ſelf-love takes the alarm in each breaſt, and breaks out into reciprocal explications, and a ruptu e enſues.

Perſons of violent tempers, though capable of giving the ſtrongeſt proofs of a devoted attachment, are not of a proper temperament for conſtant friendſhips; which are found to be no where ſo permanent as in ſedate and timid diſpoſitions, whoſe habitual moderation is the ſeat the beſt calculated for a laſting connection. The gentle and calm-diffuſing ſentiments, commonly attendant on friendſhip, clear the hearts of ſuch characters, dilate their minds, expand their ſouls, render them more confident and alert, and mix, not only with their amuſements, but with their moſt ſerious buſineſs.

Young people, as yet new to the ways of life, are very open to the firſt impreſſions of friendſhip: but the vivacity of their paſſions diſtracts, and renders them inconſtant. In age, that exquiſite ſenſibility of friendly impreſſions is blunted; yet people in that time of life form connections founded on their mutual wants; and reaſon is the tie: If young people love more tenderly, old people love more ſolidly.

The duties of friendſhip prove more extenſive than they are imagined to be. The debt, due to friendſhip, is always to be proportioned to the degree and the character of it; which makes ſo many degrees, and different characters of duty, a moſt important reflection, and worthy of being conſidered, in order to put a ſtop to the unjuſt accuſations, complaining, that one has been forſaken, badly ſerved, or diſregarded by falſe friends.

A friend, for example, through no other engagement, but that of delighting in the ſame amuſements, thinks it very ſtrange that another ſhould refuſe expoſing his credit for him: Yet the friendſhip, in this caſe, was not a character to requite ſuch a proceeding. A friend, adopted for the ſweetneſs of his behaviour, and agreeableneſs of his converſation, applies for a ſervice, which would imply a riſk of the granter's fortune: But the friendſhip was not of a complexion to be intitled to ſuch a ſacrifice.

The juſt ſtandard of what friends are to expect from one another is diverſifiable through the various degrees and different characters of friendſhip. In general, the beſt rules for conducting with prudence the method that muſt contribute the moſt effectually to the mutual ſatisfaction of friends, and the maintaining of an harmony between them, is, that, on the one hand, in difficulty the diſtreſſed ſhould expect leſs, rather than more, from the friend applied to; and that, on the other hand, the friend applied to ſhould grant more rather than leſs.

It follows, from theſe reflections concerning friendſhip, that the maxims of an equality among friends ſhould always prevail; for, without it, there can be no real friendſhip.

According to this doctrine, where is a Monarch's chance to have friends? Muſt he ſeek for them among his brother Sovereigns; or muſt he give to his ſubject-friends a title to raiſe them to an equality with him? Friendſhip enforces no more an equality than relationſhip in blood does. Kindredſhip, among people of very different ranks, permits no certain familiarities.

The Ancients have deified friendſhip; but we know not, if, like other divinities, ſhe had either temples or altars of ſtone; nor is it of any moment: However, though time has not preſerved to us any repreſentations of ſuch; yet Lilio Geraldi would inſinuate, in his work on the Deities of Paganiſm, that ſhe was engraved in the figure of a young woman, her head bare, her body covered with a plain coarſe dreſs, her breaſt uncovered at the region of the heart, on which ſhe applied one hand, holding with the other a dried elm.

On the fatal Conſequences ariſing from the Eaſineſs of obtaining CREDIT.

LUXURY is arrived at ſo high a pitch, that one would think it impoſſible to ſee it carried higher, if daily increaſe did not prove daily, that nothing will ſtop its progreſs but the utter ruin of the nation. The gentry live beyond their income; merchants beyond their gains; tradeſmen and mechanics beyond their earnings. This evil is ſo general, that we muſt not blame the miſfortunate individuals who are ruined by its baneful influence, but the legiſlature, that ſuffers the contagion to ſpread and to work the ruin of the ſtate. Indeed, it is much more a national concern than a private one. I own, it coſts the individual, his fortune, his liberty, and often his life: but then, there is a term to his ſufferings, and death ſecures to him at laſt, peace and repoſe. But the ſtate, when overturned by revolutions, when undone by the corruption of morals, when ruined by the decay of its members, retain ſtill a long ſtain of its miſeries;

...ld it languiſher, without the comforting hope of being relieved by annihilation.

I ſay, We muſt not blame the unfortunate individuals who are ruined by the baneful influence of this evil, Luxury.

Where is the man who can alone reſiſt the ſtrength of corruption's ſtream? Where is the man who can reſiſt the united temptations of vanity and example? Where is the man who can refuſe to a wife whom he loves, or perhaps fears, the very reaſonable demand, of being upon an equality with her neighbours, when they are no ways her inferiors in rank and fortune? If a man alledges, in order to avoid granting what ſuch a wife requires, "That he is low in cash, that he has large payments to make;" his wife will not forget to remind him of his credit; and that the merchant, the cabinet-maker, the jeweller, will truſt him with alacrity and pleaſure: his own vanity will come to her aſſiſtance, and ſupport the argument, in ſhewing the neceſſity of doing as others do, leſt his credit ſhould ſuffer by his œconomy; leſt people ſhould think him in low circumſtances. And permit me, to obſerve, that this neceſſity is nothing leſs than fictitious in theſe times; ſince a man's appearance and expences, are often the foundation on which his credit is eſtabliſhed. I have ſeen many a modeſt man, who would not dreſs beyond his circumſtances, miſs that aid and encouragement which others had met with, by means of their extravagance and their finery. It is ſomething very extraordinary, and at the ſame time very true, that thoſe people who are conſcious, that their own appearance is much above what they can really afford, are yet, but too apt to believe another man to be very rich, becauſe he is very richly dreſſed, and his houſe very richly furniſhed.

Luxury is then, of courſe, the cauſe of ſo many people's ruin. But what is the natural cauſe of the increaſe of luxury? Nothing elſe, but the facility of obtaining credit.

If people were obliged to pay for their cloaths before they wore them, how many, who will not be contented with any thing inferior to ſuperfine cloth, and often not even with that, unleſs embelliſhed with ſilk linings, ſilver or gold lace and embroidery, would be obliged to put up with plain courſe cloth or fuſtian, if the merchant and taylor gave no credit? How many, whoſe large houſes are richly ornamented with expenſive glaſſes, hangings, carpets, carvings, India woods, &c. would be contented with a ſmall apartment, an oaken table and bureau, a common ſtuff-bed, &c. if the cabinet-maker demanded his payment on the delivery of the goods? Then, the example of a neighbour would be no enticement to a man for living beyond his circumſtances: his wife might remonſtrate, that Mrs. Such-a-one, wore coſtly ſilks and rich laces, and yet was no better than ſhe. The huſband would have an unanſwerable reply to make: ſhe is no better than you, would he ſay, but her huſband is richer than me; I cannot afford ſuch expences; I have no money to ſpare. And to demonſtrate his inability to comply with her wiſhes, he would have nothing more to do, than to ſhew her the bottom of his empty coffers, the liſt of the payments he has to make, and the ſtate of his accounts; and then, if abſolute impoſſibility cannot diſſuade a weak vain woman, and oblige her to put a reſtraint on her deſires, it will, at leaſt, hinder and prevent the huſband's dangerous indulgence of them.

The ſame vanity which carries people, and eſpecially women, to public places, with a view of ſhewing themſelves, would prevent their appearing there, which is often unbecoming both their ſituation in life and their circumſtances. That woman, who could not ſhine like others at a Concert, or at an Aſſembly, would not be ſo deſirous and ſo fond of being ſeen in thoſe exhibitions of perſonal pageantry; ſhe would ſtay at home, to avoid the mortification of ſeeing finer figures than ſhe could be able to make herſelf; ſhe would of courſe mind the buſineſs of her family, neglected by her frequent excurſions abroad; ſhe would fulfil the duties of a wife and of a mother.

People of all ranks, of all orders, would keep within due bounds. Senſible they could not get any of the neceſſaries of life without ready money; nor money, but what accrues either from their income or from their labour; they would not ſquander it away on the turf, or in the tavern; they would reſtrain their neceſſities to the ſtate of their circumſtances; their tables would not be decked with the ſame profuſion, the ſame luxurious extravagance; no ſhamefully exorbitant prices would be given for the earlieſt of common vegetables, nor would they be deſpiſed when plentiful, cheap, and ſalutary; dainties would no longer ſpoil their conſtitution; wholeſome, homely food, and frugal living, would become again of general uſe and practice; and health, vigour, eaſe, and proſperity would be the reward of œconomy.

EDUCATION.

FRENCH ACADEMY.

LEWIS LESTARJETTE,

MASTER of LANGUAGES from PARIS,

BEGS Leave to return his Thanks for the Encouragement he has met with from the Ladies and Gentlemen of this Town, and at the ſame Time acquaints the Public, that he continues to keep SCHOOL, in which the utmoſt Aſſiduity will be uſed for the Inſtruction of his Pupils in the *French* Tongue.—The Advantages of being acquainted with ſo univerſal a Language, are too obvious to need an Enumeration; it gives an Opportunity of peruſing with Pleaſure, the Productions of many of the firſt Rate Geniuſes in the Literary World, without having Recourſe to the dull Medium of a Tranſlation; and, being ſo generally underſtood, likewiſe proves an infinite Source of Satisfaction and Conveniency to ſuch as are fond of Travelling.——Theſe Circumſtances, with many others that might be urged in its Favour, he flatters himſelf, will be ſufficient to occaſion an Application to him, from thoſe who are deſirous of giving their Children a finiſhed Education; whom he aſſures, his beſt Endeavours ſhall be exerted for their Improvement.

Particular Days and Hours will be appointed to the Purpoſe of giving PRIVATE INSTRUCTION to any Gentlemen or Ladies who may chuſe to be attended at their own Houſes.

On Application to him at Captain COX's in *Tradd-Street*, will be made known his Terms of Teaching, together with the Recommendations he has to ſeveral Gentlemen in this Province, from whom every ſatisfactory Information may be obtained, relative to his Character and Abilities.

For SALE,

A HOUSE and LOT in *George-Street*, *Auſtinborough*, containing Fifty Feet in Front, and Two Hundred and Forty-two Feet deep, with neceſſary Out-Buildings, and a Well of good Water.

Alſo, A LOT adjoining,

Fifty-five Feet Front on ſaid Street, and Two Hundred and Forty-two Feet in Depth, whereon is a ſmall Houſe, Chair-Houſe, &c.—Any Perſon inclinable to purchaſe, may apply to Meſſrs. THOMAS or DANIEL LEGARE, or in *Queen-ſtreet*, to

JOSEPH BADGER.

ROBERTS & TAYLOR,

Have juſt imported, in the laſt Veſſels from EUROPE,

A freſh Supply of GOODS,

Suitable to the PRESENT SEASON,

PART OF WHICH ARE,

SUPERFINE BROAD CLOTHS, with proper Trimmings; *Bath* Coating; Buff Colour Caſſimirs; black Princes Stuff; Serges; Serge-de-Nimes; buff, blue, and black Breeches Patterns; plain and ſtriped Camblets; Calamancoes; Tammies; Durants; *Wilton* and *Scotch* Carpets; Ditto Carpeting; Silk Umbrellas.

Alſo, a GREAT CHOICE of the moſt faſhionable plain, ſtriped, and flowered SILKS; ſatins; Pelongs; *Engliſh* and *India* Perſians; Taffeties; black and blue Paduſoy; white Sarſenet; Ditto Cloaks, trimmed with Lace; Silk Petticoats; Cane and Chip Hats; plain and figured Muſlins; Ditto Gauze, and Gauze Aprons; Long Lawns; figured and clear Ditto; Catgut; *Paris* Nett; black Bombazine; printed Linens; Cottons and Calicoes; *India* and *Engliſh* Chints; Chints and Cotton Counterpanes; *Dutch*, Blond and Thread Lace; Womens and Girls Stays; Ribbands and Fans; Damaſk and Diaper Tabling; Clouting Diaper; Huckaback; Mattraſſes; ned Tickings; *Flanders* Ticks; white Bed Fringe, Lace and Taſſels; Sheeting and Shirting Linen; Dowlas; Garlix; Loom Quilting; flowered and plain Dimity; Fuſtians; white and brown *Ruſſia* Drab; Checks; Pocket Handkerchiefs; Men and Boys Leather Caps; Beaver and Felt Hats; Buckſkin and grounded Lamb Breeches.

Likewiſe, an Aſſortment of SHOES; Gloves; Hoſiery; Cutlery, and Perfumery; *London*-made RIDING CHAIRS and CHAISES; Chair Harneſſes; Saddles, Bridles, Girths, and Cinſingles; Coopers, Carpenters, and Plantation Tools;—GLASS, CHINA, and EARTHEN WARE;—beſt *London* PORTER in Barrels; Pickles; Hyſon and Bohea Tea; ſingle and double refined Loaf Sugar; japanned Tea-Kitchens, Bread-Baſkets, and Waiters; Nefts of red and black Leather Trunks; Portmantua Ditto; handſome Braſs-mounted Fire-Grates, complete; Chamber and Kitchen Dogs; Braſs Fenders; Fire-Shovels, Tongs, and Poker;—elegant PIER GLASSES, carved and gilt; Ladies Dreſſing and Swinging Ditto; Window Glaſs; Paints; Sheet and Bar Lead; neat FOWLING PIECES; Gun Locks; Whip and Croſs-cut Saws; Quern and Grind Stones; Bird-Cages, Bruſhes, &c. &c.

☞ *As their Goods are chiefly purchaſed with* CASH *from the Manufactories, by Mr.* ROBERTS, *who reſides in* England, *it enables them to ſell on as* REASONABLE TERMS *as any Store in the Province.*

WOODBERY & LORD,

HAVE JUST IMPORTED,

In the Ship UNION, *Captain* WILLIAM COOMBES, *from*

LONDON,

A complete & well-aſſorted CARGO,

Suitable to the preſent and approaching Seaſon;

Which they will SELL CHEAP,

At their Store on the BAY.

To be LETT to the higheſt Bidder,

At the Vendue-Houſe in CHARLES-TOWN,

On TUESDAY the 27th of *April* Inſtant,

The Front CELLAR under the Exchange,

To be entered upon the *Firſt* of *May* next.

SAMUEL PRIOLEAU, jun. & Co.

A MEETING of the Creditors of *Torrans* and *Poaug*, as have ſigned a General Releaſe, is deſired, On WEDNESDAY the 28th Inſtant,

At *Ten* o'Clock in the Forenoon, at *Helliday*'s Tavern:—In the mean Time, a true State of their reſpective Demands, is deſired to be left with Mr. *William Graham*, on *Beale*'s Wharf, in order to enable the Aſſignees to offer a Diviſion of all the Monies and Specialties as ſhall then be in their Hands; and alſo, to lay before them the ſeveral Matters which have occured ſince their laſt Meeting.

ISAAC MOTTE,
WILLIAM LOGAN,
ALEXANDER MICHIE,
BENJAMIN HUGER,
JOHN HUGER,
ALEXANDER ROSE.

APRIL 6, 1773.

THE Creditors of the Eſtate of RICHARD BERESFORD, Eſq; deceaſed, are deſired to ſend in atteſted Accounts:—And thoſe indebted, to make Payment to ALEXANDER GILLON.

SARAH BERESFORD, *Executrix.*
ROBERT SMITH, ALEXANDER GILLON, } *Executors.*

WANTS EMPLOY,

A ſober, honeſt and induſtrious Man,

That is acquainted in Town, and properly qualified to act as Clerk, in any Store or Compting-Houſe, and can be extremely well recommended.—Enquire at the Printing-Office on the *Bay*, near the EXCHANGE.

To be SOLD a Bargain,

A Neat light POST-CHARIOT, equal to any in the Province, has been about ſix Months in Uſe; and a POST-CHAISE, in thorough Repair, with Harneſs for four Horſes;—Two PHÆTONS;—One new *Italian* CHAISE;—Two CHAIRS, and a good neat Second-Hand CHAIR.——For further Particulars, enquire of

JAMES LYNCH, COACH-MAKER,
Oppoſite to the *White Meeting*,

The SUBSCRIBER,

HAVING made ſome Progreſs in the Art of making POT and PEARL-ASH, at a conſiderable Expence, deſires all thoſe who may want Inſtructions for that Purpoſe, to call at Mr. BULLINE's, near the *Baptiſt* Meeting-Houſe, on *Aſhley-River*, where they may meet with him, and at the ſame Time ſerving themſelves, oblige

Their moſt obedient humble Servant,
JOHN HACKLE.

MARK MORRIS,

Having purchaſed the valuable and ingenious Negro TURNER, *from the Eſtate of Mr.* JOHN PRUE,

And fixed his Lathe with a Deſign to receive

TURNING-WORK,

Will be obliged to thoſe who pleaſe to favour him in that Way;

He likewiſe begs Leave to acquaint his FRIENDS, and the PUBLIC in general,

THAT HE STILL CARRIES ON,

Houſe-Painting & Glazing.

And, as he was regularly bred to that Buſineſs, in *Charles-Town*, and is certain he is as experienced as any that follow it here, hopes to meet with Encouragement from the Public; who may depend on having their Work done in a Workmanlike, laſting Manner, and at the moſt reaſonable Rates, either by the Job, Yard, or Day——The Favours of thoſe who pleaſe to employ him, will be gratefully acknowledged, by

Their humble Servant,
MARK MORRIS.

N. B. Thoſe which he employs are as well ſkilled in their different Branches as any in the Province, and have had long Experience.

JUST IMPORTED,

In the MAGNA CHARTA, *from* LONDON, *and the* CHARMING SALLY, *from* BRISTOL,

A freſh Supply of Goods in general,

PART OF WHICH ARE,

PLAIN, ſtriped, and brocaded Taffeties, painted Satins, and *India* Perſian; a few Pieces of figured and plain Engliſh Silks; a new Aſſortment of Furniture Cottons and Calicoes, with a great Variety of printed Goods, and Linen Drapery of every Kind; alſo, a large Aſſortment of Ironmongery, and Hard Ware; Carpenters and Smiths Tools, Nails, Glaſs, Paints, &c. which will be ſold very cheap, eſpecially for *Caſh*, and by the Quantity to ſell again, by

Hawkins, Petrie, & Co.

☞ WHO having been often told, that it is reported, and generally believed, that they will not ſupply any Perſon whatever on the uſual Terms of ANNUAL PAYMENTS, think it neceſſary to declare, that the Report is not true;—that they never refuſed any of good Circumſtances, and that they ſhall gladly ſupply ſuch on the loweſt Terms, which it is in their Power to do, as they have all their Goods directly from the Tradeſmen, and will as uſual, keep one of the largeſt Aſſortments in the Province.

They alſo acquaint their Friends,

THAT they have now a Correſpondence eſtabliſhed with a Perſon who reſides among the Manufacturers of NEGRO CLOTH, with whom they have placed a Fund to purchaſe that Article with Ready Money; in Conſequence of which, they hope to have it much cheaper than heretofore, or than it is generally imported, and they expect to receive it in all JUNE, or early in JULY next.

Old *Jamaica* RUM,

In Puncheons, Hogſheads & Porter Caſks, fit for immediate Uſe.

Coffee, of an extraordinary good Quality,

In Bags, containing from 40 to 100 Pounds Weight.

A large Aſſortment of BAR IRON; Eaſt-Coker, *Bridport* and *Kirkham* SAIL CLOTH; *Windſor* CHAIRS, and *Philadelphia* ſuperfine FLOUR,

To be SOLD,

By SHIRLEY & PRICE.

Who have alſo for Sale, a Quantity of SEWING TWINE, which they will diſpoſe of CHEAP, to any Perſon taking the Whole.

SELLING OFF.

As the Subſcriber intends to embark for ENGLAND *the latter End of* MAY *next,*

He will ſell the following Articles very low for *Caſh*,

At his Store oppoſite Gadſden's-Alley *in* Broad-Street,

BUFF coloured *India* Satins; *India* and *Engliſh* Perſians; white Sarſenet; black Peelongs; white flowed Satin; Ladies Gauze Ruffles and Tuckers, trimmed with blond Lace; rich *Bruſſels* Lappets and Border; *Mecklin*, Thread, joining, and blond Laces; Gauzes; black and white Catgut, and *Paris* Nett, Jackonet; ſtriped 6-4 Book and ſprigged Muſlins, Humhams, Calico Wrap; chip Hatts; printed Linens and Cottons; printed Handkerchiefs.

Iriſh Linens; brown Holland; white Thread Hoſe; Mens and Womens Silk ditto; Caſſimirs; white Half Ell Jeannet; Napkins; Table Cloths; Checks; ſtriped Cambletts; long and Piſtol Lawns; clear Lawns; Cambricks; Mens Beaver Hatts; Guns; white Lead in Oil; Linſeed Oil; Nails, Hooks, and Hinges; Iron Pots; Queen's Ware; Looking-Glaſſes; Bohea, Green and Hyſon Teas; Sugar-Candy.—Men of War's Jackets, Waiſtcoats, and Breeches, to be SOLD at COST.

FRANCIS AYRTON.

Charles-Town, April 19, 1773.

THE Copartnerſhip of LAUGHTON & BOOKLESS being expired, they requeſt all thoſe to whom they are any Ways indebted, to ſend in their Accounts; and thoſe indebted to them, by Bond, Note, or Book-Debt, are deſired to ſettle the ſame as ſoon as poſſible, as there is an abſolute Neceſſity for cloſing their Concerns immediately, that they may be enabled to ſatisfy their indulgent Creditors.

Laughton & Bookleſs.

N. B. They have to diſpoſe of CHEAP, for CASH, at their Shop behind the Old Church, Ready-made CHAIRS, with Harneſs, complete.

To be LETT,

And may be entered on immediately,

The Subſcriber's HOUSE,

Situated in MEETING-STREET, having Six good Rooms, neatly papered and painted, with a good Cellar, Kitchen, Waſh Houſe, Garden, Stable and Chair-Houſe, and every other Conveniency for a Family. Enquire of

THOMAS DOUGHTY.

Manſell & Corbett,

Have imported in the Ship Portland, *Captain* Wilſon, *from* LONDON,

An Aſſortment of GOODS,

Suitable for the SPRING and SUMMER,

Which were bought by WALTER MANSELL, *in* England, *on as good Terms as any imported,*

And will be ſold as cheap as any Houſe in the Province can afford them, at their Store in TRADD-STREET,

Amongſt which are the following Articles,

SUPERFINE faſhionable Broad Cloths, with new faſhioned ſpangled Buttons to match them; Caſimirs, Sagathies, Thickſetts, printed Stuffs; handſome embroidered Shapes, for Gentlemens Waiſtcoats; plain, flowered, and ſtriped Mantuas and Luſtrings; Sattins, plain, flowered and painted Brocades; Paduſoys, Taffaties, Perſians, Sarſenets and Modes; Lawns, Cambricks; checked, ſtriped, plain, Jackonet, Book, and Tombour-worked Muſlins; fine Humhums, corded, flowered, and plain Dimities; *Marſeilles* Quilts and Quilting; *Marſeilles* and Cotton Counterpanes; Jeans and Jeanneis; white, blue, and crimſon Burdets; Lorettoes and Damaſcuſſes; *India* Nankeens, Ginghams, and *Bengal* Stripes; *India* and *Engliſh* Chints, Cottons, Calicoes, printed Linens, and Pocket-Handkerchiefs; *Iriſh* Linens and Sheeting; Checks, Pavillion Gauze, and other Gauzes.

Ladies Silk and Sattin Petticoats; Womens and Girls Stays; Mens and Womens Gloves and Mitts, of all Sorts; Mens and Womens embroidered Silk Hoſe; Cotton and Thread Hoſe, of all Sizes; Chip Hats, Cane and Sieve Hats; Gold and Silver Lace; Livery Lace; Mens Silk, Worſted and Thread Breeches Pieces; Hyſon, Green and Bohea Teas; Currants, Raiſins, Almonds, with other Grocery and Spices.

Hoes, Axes, Spades, Hinges, Locks, and Nails of all Sorts; Paints and Oil; Corn and Coffee Mills; japanned Bottle-Stands, japanned Waiters, Kitchens and Stands; japanned Tea-Tables; Guns and Piſtols of *William Manſell's* Make, which will be ſold for little more than Coſt and Charges; Gun Locks; Saddle-Trees, Saddles, Bridles, and other SADDLERY; Horſe-Hair Seating, for Seats of Chairs and Stair-Caſes; Glaſs and China Ware; Looking and Pier Glaſſes; Leather Breeches; Velvet and Leather Jockey-Caps; Mens faſhionable Fan-Tail Hats; Mattraſſes, Carpets and Carpeting of different Kinds; Marble Slabs; *Italian London*-made Riding Chairs and Chaiſes;

And ſeven Years old *Batavia* ARRACK.

WILLIAM HINCKLEY,

INTENDING to depart this Province ſome Time in *May* next, EXPECTS that every Perſon indebted to him will diſcharge what they owe to him, by the *Firſt* of that Month;—after which Day, every Bond, Note, or Accompt, that remains unpaid, will be put into the Hands of an Attorney at Law, to be ſued for without Delay.

In the mean Time, thoſe to whom he is indebted, may call and receive Payment.

GEORGE THOMSON

IS to give up the DRY GOODS Buſineſs for ſome Time, therefore he will diſpoſe of his preſent Aſſortment at a *low Advance* for CASH or SHORT CREDIT.

The Goods conſiſt of moſt uſeful Articles imported; they are freſh and in good Order; the principal Part of them having been but four Months in this Province.—If any Perſon will purchaſe the Whole they ſhall have them a BARGAIN, and the Terms of Payment made eaſy.

JANE THOMSON

CONTINUES the MILLINARY-BUSINESS, in all its Branches; returns her hearty Thanks to thoſe who have employed her, and hopes for the Continuance of their Favours.

Cabinet-Making in all its Branches,

ALSO,

INLAID-WORK in any TASTE,

By MARTIN PFENINGER,

At his Shop in New-Church-Street,

Adjoining the SCOTCH-MEETING, *and* Parſonage-Houſe,

At the loweſt Rates, and in the moſt expeditious Manner.

WANTED on Rent,

A Pew in *St. Philip* or *St. Michael's* Church:

For which from Sixty to £. 100 per Year Rent will be paid, according to the Size and Situation. Apply to

ANTHONY SIMONS.

Notice is hereby given,

TO the Creditors of *PATRICK BELL*, of Saint *Matthew's* Pariſh, deceaſed, that an equal Dividend of the Deceaſed's Eſtate, will be paid to thoſe who will attend on the 29th of *May* next, with their Accompts properly atteſted, at the Subſcriber's Houſe in Saint *Matthew's* Pariſh.

JOSEPH MILLIGAN, *Adminiſtrator.*

N. B. All thoſe that are indebted to the ſaid Deceaſed's Eſtate, are deſired to pay the ſame at the Time and Place aforeſaid, or they will be ſued without Diſtinction.

TWO ROOMS

To be LETT, to ſingle Gentlemen.

Alſo, the STORE at preſent occupied by Mr. *Ray*.

Enquire of WILLIAM GOWDEY.

THE Subſcriber *Gives Notice* to all Perſons, That his Wife, MARY COTNERY, is now become a SOLE TRADER, by his Conſent, and that any Body may truſt her as ſuch, on her *ſeparate* Accompt, independent of him.

April 6, 1773. WILLIAM COTNERY.

STOPT from a NEGRO,

Two Halves of 2 *Fifty Pounds* Bills.

Any Perſon proving them their Property, may have them again, on paying the Expence of advertiſing.——Enquire at the Printing-Office on the BAY, near the EXCHANGE.

JOHANNA BLACK,

MILLINER,

Takes this Method to inform the PUBLIC, and her FRIENDS in particular,

That ſhe has juſt imported, in the Ship MONTAGU, *Captain* WILLIAM PICKLES, *from* LONDON,

A COMPLETE ASSORTMENT OF

MILLINERY GOODS:

Amongſt which are the following, viz.

A GREAT Variety of GAUZES;—new-faſhioned Handkerchiefs;—Blond Lace;—Black Lace;—Ribbands of the neweſt Taſte;—Fans;—Hats and Cloaks;—open Work Chip Hats;—fine and coarſe Ditto;—black flowered Modes;—white and blue Ditto;—black flowered Sattin;—blue and white Ditto;—white Perſians;—blue, pink, and black Ditto;—very neat *Italian* Head and Breaſt Flowers; Women and Childrens Gloves;—Wax Necklaces;—Shenell, black Snail, &c. &c.——Which ſhe will diſpoſe of on the moſt REASONABLE TERMS, at her Shop in *Ellery-Street*, next to JOHN PARKER's, Eſq;—and will eſteem it a Favour of thoſe who may be pleaſed to employ her in that Branch of Buſineſs;—and aſſures them, that the utmoſt Attention will be exerted in executing their Orders in the neweſt Taſte, as well as with the greateſt Care and Diſpatch, and on as reaſonable Terms as can be afforded by any of the Profeſſion in the Province.

THE CO-PARTNERSHIP OF

BRAILSFORD & MUNCREEF,

Having expired with the YEAR,

THEY beg Leave to thank their Friends for the many Favours received:—And, as they would be glad to have the Concerns of the ſaid Co-partnerſhip cloſed as ſpeedily as poſſible, they hope their Friends will further ſhew their Regard, by ordering them immediate Payment.

Their Stock of Goods remaining,

WHICH conſiſts of many uſeful Articles, and but few which can be objected to, they will ſell very reaſonable, to any Perſon taking the Whole, and a proper Allowance made for CASH or SHORT CREDIT.

N. B. Bills of Exchange on *London* (if more convenient to the Purchaſer) will be accepted as Caſh.

Excellent ſalt Herrings in Kegs,

AND

A few *Scotch* GOODS,

To be SOLD CHEAP,

By JAMES BRUCE,

At Mr. GORDON's *Store in* ELLIOTT-STREET, *the Corner of* BEDON's-ALLEY.

FRIAR

COVERS this Seaſon at Mr. BENJAMIN WARING's Plantation, near *Dorcheſter*, at THIRTY-FIVE POUNDS each Mare, and a DOLLAR to the Groom. Such Mares as do not prove in Foal this Year, may be ſent the next *Gratis*. The greateſt Care will be taken of them, but Mr. WARING will not be anſwerable for any Accident that may happen.

*** No Mares to be taken away before the Money is paid.

TARTAR,

COVERS this Seaſon, at Mr. JOHN GAILLARD's Plantation, St. *Stephen's*, at FIVE POUNDS Sterling, and TWO DOLLARS to the Groom; the Money to be ſent with the Mares. Thoſe that do not prove with Fole this Year, may be ſent the next *Gratis*. Good Paſturage, and great Care will be taken of the Mares.

PETER M'DONALD.

WANTED on HIRE,

A PEW in *St. Michael's* Church.

Enquire at the Printing-Office on the *Bay*, near the *Exchange*.

CHARLES-TOWN, *April* 5, 1773.

THIS is to *give Notice*, that the Subſcriber, intending to depart this Province the Beginning of *July* next, is ready to anſwer to any Suit that may be brought againſt him, in Terms of an Act of this Province, called the *Attachment-Act*, ſo that thoſe he may be indebted to, may take the Benefit of the ſame accordingly.

CHARLES BURNETT.

Twenty Dollars Reward

WILL be paid by the Subſcriber, to any Perſon who will deliver to him, or the Warden of the Work-Houſe, a likely, well made NEGRO MAN, named EDINBURGH, full Six Feet high, about 25 Years of Age, his Country Marks on each Cheek:—He was bought at *Beaufort* about five or ſix Years ago by Mr. JOHN IMRIE, and has been run away for ſome Time paſt.—If he will ſurrender himſelf to me, at or before the Sitting of the Court at *Beaufort*, he ſhall receive no Puniſhment.—As there is good Reaſon to ſuſpect his being harboured, any Perſon who will give Information thereof, ſhall receive, upon Conviction of the Offender, if a white Perſon *One Hundred Pounds*, and if a Negro, *Ten Pounds*.

March 31, 1773. JOHN COLCOCK.

RUN AWAY the 26th of March *laſt,*

From Mr. LINN's *Wharf at* Hobcaw,

A NEGRO-FELLOW, named JACK,

Of the *Gambia* Country, by Trade a Shipwright; a well-ſet Fellow, about Five Feet Six Inches high, walks a little lame with one Leg, and has a Scar on his left Thigh.——He is ſuppoſed to be ſomewhere in *Charles-Town*. Whoever will deliver him to Mr. LINN, at *Hobcaw*, or to the Warden of the Work-Houſe, ſhall receive FIVE POUNDS Reward, and all reaſonable Charges.

N. B. All Maſters of Veſſels, and others, are hereby cautioned not to harbour, or carry him off the Province.

At STOTT's

Manchеſter Ware-Houſe in *Bedon's* Alley,

JUST ARRIVED

In the FAIR AMERICAN, *Capt.* MINSHALL, *from* LIVERPOOLE, *and the* MAGNA CHARTA, *Capt.* MAITLAND, *from* LONDON,

A LAGRE ASSORTMENT OF

CUTLERY & HARDWARE,

Bought from the Manufacturers at Sheffield.

BROAD and narrow Hoes, Falling Axes, Socket Spades, Iron Wedges, and Nails of all Sorts, Mens faſhionable Beaver Hats, Caſtor ditto, and a large Aſſortment of Felt ditto.

Black, Blue, and Olive Manchеſter Velvets and Velverets, Corde-du-Roys for Breeches, Yard and Ell wide; Marſeilles Quilting, Bed Quilts, Cradle Quilts and Toilet Covers, trimmed and plain; Yard wide figured Dimities, India Dimities, Silk and Worſted Breeches Pieces, Silk, Thread, Cotton and Worſted Hoſe, Iriſh, Scotch and German Oſnabrugs, a large Aſſortment of Garlix and Dowlas, Preſton Linens in whole and half Pieces, a large Aſſortment of all Kinds of Manchеſter Goods.

N. B. All the above Goods were choſe by *Robert Stott*, and moſt of them purchaſed of the Manufacturers, for Caſh, and will be ſold remarkably cheap.

JOHN SMITH,

Tallow-Chandler & Soap-Boiler,

Begs Leave to acquaint the PUBLIC,

THAT he has taken the Shop in *Church-ſtreet*, lately poſſeſſed by Mr. JOHN HATFIELD, where he intends to carry on the above Buſineſs in the moſt extenſive Manner.

He has for Sale, at the above Shop,

Myrtle-Wax and Tallow mould Candles; dipt Ditto; Soap; Salt; Muſcovado Sugar; Currants and Raiſins, with ſundry other Articles.

HE HAS LIKEWISE,

An Aſſortment of DRY GOODS,

PARTICULARLY

Checks, Bed-Ticks, and Stripes, received from his Father (the Manufacturer) at very low Prices, which he will ſell at a *low Advance* for CASH.

N. B. As he has ſerved a regular Apprenticeſhip, and ſome Years as a Journeyman, to the TALLOW-CHANDLERY and SOAP-BOILING Buſineſs, he hopes he has gained Experience enough to make them of as good a Quality as any yet made in this Province, and will be much obliged to thoſe who may be pleaſed to favour him with their Orders. 6 W

WANTS an OVERSEER's Birth,

A ſingle Man, of an undeniable Character,

Who is thoroughly acquainted with the making of Rice or Indico.——Enquire at the Printing-Office on the BAY, near the EXCHANGE.

CHARLES-TOWN, *April* 1, 1773.

ANY Perſon or Perſons, inclinable to ſupply His Majeſty's Ships and Veſſels with FRESH BEEF, at this Port, for one Year, are deſired to ſend in their Propoſals, on or before the 30th Inſtant, to

ROBERTS & TAYLOR.

STOPT from a white Perſon,

Who refuſed to give any Account how he came by it,

A SILVER WATCH.

The Owner, by deſcribing it, and paying for advertiſing, may have it again. Enquire at the Printing-Office on the *Bay*, near the EXCHANGE.

Run away from the Subſcriber,

A NEGRO FELLOW, named *Apollo*,

A Porter and Cooper, well known in *Charles-Town*, lately purchaſed of Mr. ANDREW LORD; he is very black, ſtrong and thick ſet, about Five Feet ſix Inches high, about Twenty-five Years old, a little knock-kneed, full Face, with large Lips, and pitted with the Small-Pox.—Whoever delivers him to me at my Plantation in *St. John's* Pariſh, or to the Warden of the Work-Houſe, ſhall have FIVE POUNDS paid them, and all reaſonable Charges; and whoever gives Information of his being harboured, ſo as the Fact can be proved, ſhall receive TEN POUNDS if by a Negro, and if by white People FIFTY POUNDS.

PETER GOURDINE.

RUN AWAY,

From the Subſcriber's Plantation, near Ninety-Six,

On MONDAY the 28th Day of *December*, 1772,

A Country born Negro Man, named *Nero*,

Well made, about ſix Feet high, and Twenty-eight Years of Age, ſpeaks good Engliſh;—he had on when he went away, a white Negro Cloth Coat, the Cuffs and Cape turned up with blue, white Negro Cloth Jacket and Breeches, and a new Felt Hat: He was formerly the Property of Mrs. *Webb*, at the *Congarees*.

Alſo, on the ſame Day,

A Mulatto or half Indian Man, named *Frank*,

Well made, about Nineteen or Twenty Years old, five Feet eight Inches high, ſtrait limbed, ſpeaks very good Engliſh, and may attempt to paſs for a Freeman; he had on when he went away, a white Negro Cloth Coat, the Cuffs and Cape turned up with blue, white Negro Cloth Jacket and Breeches, and a new Felt Hat:—He formerly lived at my Cowpen, on *Still-Creek*, about Eighteen Miles below Mr. *George Galphin's*, near *Savannah-River*.——A Reward of TWENTY POUNDS Currency each, will be paid on Delivery of either of the above-mentioned Slaves to LEY-ROY HAMMOND, Eſq; at *Snow Hill*, near *Auguſta*; Mr. GEORGE GALPHIN, at *Silver Bluff*; Mr. GEORGE ROBINSON, at the *Roſemary Branch*, or to the Warden of the Work-Houſe, in *Charles-Town*, or to the Subſcriber:—And, a further Reward of ONE HUNDRED POUNDS will be paid, if diſcovered to be harboured by a white Perſon, on Conviction of the Offender. ANDREW WILLIAMSON.

WHITEHALL, *March* 23, 1773.

South-Carolina. *Public-Treasury, April* 16, 1773.

THE JUSTICES living and residing within the Parishes of *St. Philip* and *St. Michael, Charles-Town*, having, on EASTER-MONDAY, granted their CERTIFICATES to the under-mentioned Persons; they are hereby required to call at this Office, and take out their LICENCES, on or before the 15th of next Month, at farthest.

HENRY PERONNEAU
BENJAMIN DART, } *Joint-Public-Treasurers.*

Names.	*Places of Residence.*
AMOS, JAMES	On the Bay
Aglettor, Ann	Tradd-street
Allen, Margaret	White-Point
Ball, Ann	Elliott-street
Bennet, Joseph	Up the Path
Butler, James-Henry	On the Bay
Bull, Penwicke	On the Bay
Baird, Joshua	Meeting-street
Benfield, John	Elliott-street
Bishop, John	On the Bay
Bonsel, Elizabeth	King-street
Blankenhorn, Henry	King-street
Blacklidge, Zachariah	Beresford's Alley
Brenan, Eugene	Elliott-street
Bower, Samuel	On the Bay
Bell, Elizabeth	Bedon's Alley
Bryan, Mary	Union-street
Bohner, Godfrey	Meeting-street
Birkmyer, Daniel	King-street
Cochran, Thomas	On the Bay
Cherington, Mary	Union-street
Cross, Samuel	King-street
Chauvet, Mary	Meeting-street
Chappel, John	Queen-street
Cummins, Judith	Queen-street
Calwell, Rebecca	Bedon's Alley
Cook, Eleanor	On the Bay
Creighton, William	King-street
Carruther, Jane	Union-street
Dickenson, Avis	Tradd street
Dou, Anthony	Union-street
Davie, Ann	Chalmers's Alley
DaCosta, Isaac	King-street
Ehney, Christians	On the Bay
Earnest, Margaret	On the Green
Edwards, Martha	On the Bay
Evenet, Lydia	Guignard's-street
Ellis, John	On the Bay
Eustace, Thomas	King-street
Fallows, James	On the Bay
Francis, Vincent	On the Bay
Fitzpatrick, William	Chalmers's Alley
Florin, Lucas	King-street
Fisher, Rosina	On the Green
Fettig, Barbara	King-street
Farquhar, Robert	Tradd-street
Gray, David	Meeting-street
Gray, George	King-street
Gross, Catharine	King street
Gruber, Christian	King-street
Gilchrist, Elizabeth	Union-street
Hauser, Elias	King street
Harris, Thomas	King-street
Harvey, Thomas	Market-Square
Hart, Joshua	On the Bay
Hayley, Elizabeth	Up the Path
Hatfield, Sarah	King-street
Hartring, Philip	King street
Johnson, Catharine	Union-street
Keeler, Elizabeth	Queen-street
Khun, George	King-street
Kysell, Esther	King-street
Kelsy, Mary	On the Green
Liher, Samuel	Trott's-Point
Lewis, Ann	Union-street
Lochon, Mary	Guignard street
Levi, Patience	Broad street
Limehouse, Elizabeth	Union-street
Miller, John	Union street
Mackenzie, Jane	Union-street
Mackenzie, Rebecca	Union street
Morell, Francis	Queen street
Myers, Albert	Meeting-street
Mayne, Elizabeth	Elliott street
MacLean, Jane	Union-street
Nuffer, Herman	King street
Nan, Frederick	White-Point
Pointell, Jonathan	Ansonborough
Poinsett, Catharine,	Elliott-street
Prevatt, Grace	Longitude-Lane
Price, Eleanor	Elliott-street
Powell, Joseph	Union-street
Roswell, Mary	King-street
Rantowle, Sarah	Queen-street
Ramsay, George	Tradd-street
Ramos, Jacob	Bedon's Alley
Rutherford, Isabella	Union-street
Rutledge, Rebecca	Beresford's-Alley
Sheets, Christopher	Meeting-street
Scott, Catharine	Union-street
Smith, Rebecca	On the Bay
Storr, Elizabeth	Elliott-street
Shaw, Pott	On the Bay
Saltridge, Lydia	Trott's Point
Stevens, Mary	On the Bay
Shrade, Dorothea	King-street
Sullivan, Barbara	Trott's-Point
Stewart, Margaret	Union-street
Stotherd, Richard	Market-Square
Strickland, James	New-Market
Swinton, Hugh	On the Bay
Smith, Christian	Unity-Alley
Seilor, Catharine	Gadsden's-Alley
Smith, John	Church-street
Shutterling, John	King-street
Sigwald, Christian	King-street
Thomson, Elizabeth	Church-street
Taylor, Elizabeth,	Union-street
Tuke, Hannah	On the Bay
Thompson, Richard	King street
Ulrick, Margaret	King street
Watson, Catharine	Hampstead
Walker, Elizabeth	Elliott-street
Watson, Joseph	King-street
Wrand, Esther	Tradd-street
Wall, Mary	Elliot-street
Young, Mary	Price's-Alley

Sea Shore INDICO SEED,
To be SOLD,
By FABRE & SIMONS.

For SALE by private Contract,
On such Credit as shall be agreeable to the Purchasers,
Fifteen LOTS of LAND,
On WHITE-POINT,
Pleasantly situated, near *Ashley River*; all fronting on airy good Streets; the Foundation is a stiff Clay, and has as good Water as any in *Charles-Town*.

Also, Several Low-Water LOTS,
Running to the Channel of the said River, and capable of being improved to great Advantage.—A substantial good Wharf is now building, where Vessels may lay secure from the most dangerous Winds, and avoid the Risque of going round the Point, as well as five a Tide, which will, in all Probability, make it a Place of considerable Trade in a few Years.—It being convenient to all the Lots, will save the extravagant Expence of Cartage to that Part of the Town, and the open, free Air, will in a great Measure prevent contagious Disorders.

The above Lots being also situated most convenient to much the greatest Part of those Places from which the Markets are supplied, it is probable that one will be established on or near them.—The Subscriber is determined to sell to such only as will engage to build thereon.—Buildings are now erecting on such Lots as he has already sold, and every Purchaser shall have *free Wharfage* of their Materials for Building. Any Person inclinable to purchase, may apply to
WILLIAM GIBBES.

THE Subscriber having, with great Expence and Labour, laid down the HEAD of a WHARF, near the Channel of *Ashley River*, which, he thinks, may be of Public Utility, will be much obliged to the Gentlemen concerned in Vessels for their Assistance, in filling it with any Kind of Ballast. The greatest Dispatch will be given in discharging thereof. There is a very convenient Hulk at said Head, at which such Vessels as deliver their Ballast, may heave down, without any Expence, and may be supplied with as good WATER as any in Town. The Pilots are also welcome to make Use of the said Hulk to careen their Boats.
WILLIAM GIBBES.

N. B. As the said Head is covered at High-Water, he has taken every Precaution to point out the same, that Boats may avoid getting on it; and desires every Person concerned in Boats, will take Care to avoid the Danger.

For SALE by private Contract,
A House and Lot in *King-Street*,
Now occupied by Mrs. *Motte*, being the Property of EDWARD WILKINSON, deceased.—For Particulars, apply to Messrs. BONNEAU & SLAN[illegible] or
MORTON WILKINSON, *Executor.*

To be LET,
THE HOUSE where the Subscriber at present resides.—It has just been repaired, and is very convenient for a private Family.—Any Person willing to engage for 3, 4, or 5 Years, may have it on very reasonable Terms. Apply to
WILLIAM ROBERTS.

BOOTH, Coach-Painter,
RETURNS his most grateful Acknowledgments to the Public in general, for the Favours he has received in that Branch, but not finding sufficient Employment in it, he intends, for the future, to carry on the Business of
House-Painting, in Town and Country;
And, as he was First bred to that Business, hopes he shall be able to give entire Satisfaction to those who shall be pleased to employ him, as he will not trust to Negroes (which is too common) to perform the finishing Part of the Business which he may be favoured with the Execution of.
N. B. Two smart Negro-Boys are wanted as Apprentices.

WILLIAM SIMPSON,
HAS IMPORTED,
In the MAGNA-CHARTA, *Captain* MAITLAND, *and other Vessels from* EUROPE,
A neat Assortment of GOODS;
Which he will dispose of VERY LOW, *for* CASH,
At his Store in BROAD-STREET, *viz.*
OLIVE, blue, claret, purple, scarlet, black and white Velverets;—a Variety of Ell-wide Petticoats, common and quilted Cotton Counterpanes, Cradle Quilts, Bird-Eye Diapers; Yard-wide Diapers; Drawboys and Dimities; superfine *India* Cotton Jeans, white, black, and dyed Jeans; Thicksets, Fustians, black Jeanet and Sattinet; dyed Paoli; Cotton Gowns; Bed Bunts; fine *Moreen* Gowns; 10, 11 Nails, 3-4, 7-8, Yard-wide and 6-4 Linen and Cotton Checks and Stripes; blue and red Furniture Checks; Cotton Hollands; a Variety of Check Handkerchiefs; Ell-wide and 6-4 Cottons; *Yorkshire* Cloths of all Colours; blue and red striped Linseys; Felt and Castor Hats, from 7*s.* 6*d.* to 12*l.*—Osnabrugs and *Irish* Linens; Mozeens, Damascus, and Ginghams; *Barcelona* Handkerchiefs; Corde-du-Roy for Breeches, of different Colours; Damask and Diaper Table-Cloths; printed Linens and Cottons; printed Linen Handkerchiefs; Silk and Cotton Handkerchiefs; long and clear Lawns; Lawn Handkerchiefs; Silk Gauze Aprons, with Borders.

Saddlery, Cutlery, and Ironmongery.

A very neat Assortment of JEWELLERY;
Scotch Carpeting and Carpets, at 21*s.* 3*d.* the Yard; with sundry other Articles.—Any Person taking a Quantity, and paying CASH, will have a considerable Abatement.
N. B. A Consignment of superfine Suits of Cloaths, made up after the newest Fashion, to be sold *very cheap.*

To be LET,
A Coach-House and Stable,
Situated in *Kinloch-Court.*
Enquire at the PRINTING-OFFICE on the BAY, near the EXCHANGE.

Drifted on Shore, on the Front of my Island,
A CYPRESS CANOW,
Twenty-four Feet long, and Four Feet wide; she has a large Split in her Head and Stern.—The Owner may have her again, on paying the Charges. THOMAS TUCKER.

RUN AWAY from the Subscriber,
A NEGRO FELLOW, named *Isaac*,
Whoever will apprehend and deliver the above Negro to me, shall have a Reward of TEN POUNDS Currency.
BLAKE-LEAY WHITE.

SOUTH-CAROLINA.
By His Excellency the Right Honourable Lord CHARLES-GREVILLE MONTAGU, *Captain-General, Governor, and Commander in Chief, in and over the said Province, and Vice-Admiral of the same.*

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS, by a Petition signed by several of the Inhabitants of this Province, settled on or near the Boundary Line, between this Province and *North-Carolina*, by Virtue of Grants from the Governor of *North-Carolina*, this Day presented to me in Council, it appears, That the Proclamation issued by me, on the Nineteenth Day of *June* last, setting forth, That "Whereas, "by the Continuation of the Boundary Line, between this "Province and *North-Carolina*, which had lately been run, "in Pursuance of His MAJESTY'S INSTRUCTIONS to the "Governors of both Provinces, several Plantations which had "been settled by Virtue of Grants from the Governor of *North-*"*Carolina*, fell within this Government. IN ORDER to "preserve to the Proprietors of such Grants, the equitable "Right they had to the Lands mentioned therein, I DID, "by the Advice of His Majesty's Council, issue my Pro-"clamation; THEREBY STRICTLY FORBIDDING all the "Deputy-Surveyors of this Province, from laying any Warrant "on Lands for which Grants had been obtained in *North-*"*Carolina*: AND notifying to all Persons possessed of, or in-"titled unto, such Grants, that they might have Grants for the "same from this Government, on their producing such Grants, "without their personal Attendance at *Charles-Town*, provided "Application was made for the same within *Twelve Months* from "the Date thereof," had not been sufficiently notified to the Persons for whose Benefit it was intended; and the Time therein mentioned, for them to come and take out Grants for those Lands, will be therefore too short: I THEREFORE, taking the same into Consideration, have thought fit, by and with the Advice of His Majesty's Honourable Council, to issue this my Proclamation, hereby strictly forbidding all Deputy-Surveyors from laying any Warrants on the Land settled by Virtue of such Grants: AND FURTHER, notifying to all Persons possessed of, or intitled unto, such Grants or Conveyances, that the Time for their applying to have a Confirmation of the same, will be prolonged till the First Day of *January* next.

GIVEN under my Hand, and the Great Seal of the said Province, at Charles-Town, *this* Seventeenth *Day of* February, *Anno Domini* 1773, *and in the Thirteenth Year of His Majesty's Reign.*

Charles-Greville Montagu.

By His Excellency's Command,
THOMAS SKOTTOWE, *Secretary.*

SOUTH-CAROLINA.
OATS & RUSSEL, Against DAVID SMITH. } *Case,* In the *Common Pleas*, On Attachment.

WHEREAS EDWARD OATS and WILLIAM RUSSEL, (the Plaintiffs) in this Action, did on the Thirteenth Day of *February* Instant, file their Declaration in the Office of the Clerk of this Honourable Court, against DAVID SMITH, late of *Charles Town*, in the Province aforesaid, Shopkeeper (the Defendant) who hath no Wife or Attorney known to be within this Province; on whom a Copy of the said Declaration, with a Rule to plead thereto, might be served: *It is therefore*, in Pursuance of the Act of Assembly, in such Case made and provided, *ORDERED*, That the said Defendant do appear and plead to the said Declaration, on or before the Fourteenth Day of *February*, which will be in the Year of our Lord One Thousand Seven Hundred and Seventy-four, otherwise final and absolute Judgment will then be given and awarded against him.

JAMES TRAIL, C. C. P.

OFFICE *of* COMMON-PLEAS, *the Thirteenth Day of* FEBRUARY, 1773.

Spanish INDICO SEED,
Just arrived from the River *Mississippi*,
To be SOLD,
By WILLIAM MORGAN.

RUN AWAY
From WILLIAM WOOD, *at* Santee, *about Seven Months ago*,
A NEGRO FELLOW named PETER,
About Five Feet high, of a clumsy Make, about 40 Years old.
AND,
Six Weeks ago, a Negro Fellow, named *Prince*, About Five Feet high, slim made, has a large Beard, is very sensible, knows most Part of the Province, and has often passed for a free Negro; TEN POUNDS Reward will be given for delivering either of the above Fellows to *William Wood*, or to the Warden of the Work-house.

Also RUN AWAY last July,
From the Subscriber's Plantation at Santee, *where* WILLIAM M'CULLOCH *is Overseer*,
A NEGRO FELLOW, named HOMADY,
Has a sulky Look and speaks bad English, is about Five Feet high; whoever delivers the said Fellow to either of my Overseers, or to the Warden of the Work-house, shall have TEN POUNDS, and a further Reward of One Hundred Pounds, if harboured by a white Person, on Conviction of the Offender.
BENJAMIN SMITH.

N. B. Sixty CORDS of WOOD to be sold on FOSTER's Creek.

CHARLES-TOWN, APRIL 1, 1773.

AGREEABLE to the Directions of an Act of the General Assembly of this Province, intituled, "An "ACT, to regulate the PRICE and ASSIZE of BREAD:"

I HAVE enquired the Price of FLOUR, and find that imported from the *Northern* Colonies, to be at SIX POUNDS and FIFTEEN SHILLINGS per Hundred lb. Weight, and *Carolina* Flour at FOUR POUNDS and FIFTEEN SHILLINGS (being both used by the Bakers); at which Price the HALF CROWN Loaves must weigh as follows:

Of NORTHWARD Flour.	lb.	oz.	dr.	Of CAROLINA Flour.	lb.	oz.	d.
WHITE,	1	10	8	WHITE,	2	2	0
WHEATEN,	2	7	12	WHEATEN,	3	3	0
HOUSHOLD,	3	5	0	HOUSHOLD,	4	4	0

Of which all Bakers of Bread are required to take due Notice.
GEORGE SHEED, *Commissary-General.*